



DATE: November 17, 2021

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Carmen Diaz Ghysels, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

SUBJECT: Approve Resolution No. 10-2021-2022 Recognizing National Special Education Day and Special Educator Appreciation Week

PRESENTED BY: Jeff Santos, Executive Director of Student Services

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**ACTION REQUESTED:**

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

National Special Education Day is observed annually on December 2. This day marks the anniversary of our nation's first federal special education law which was signed by President Gerald Ford on December 2, 1975. This law made education available to all American children and it provided the foundation for the highly specialized and inclusive programs that we have today. The Tahoe Truckee Unified School District would like to take this opportunity to formally acknowledge our team of special educators by recognizing December 2, 2021, as our second observance of Special Education Day and designating the week of December 2 through 6 as Special Educator Appreciation Week.

**RESOURCES REQUIRED:**

None

**PREPARED BY:**

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