

# PROCLAMATION

**OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF FOLSOM  
PROCLAIMING NOVEMBER 16 – 20, 2020**

**as**

**SCHOOL WORKER APPRECIATION WEEK  
in the City of Folsom**

**WHEREAS**, the education of our youth is imperative to our neighborhoods, our city, our state, and our nation and Folsom schools are consistently recognized as among the highest achieving in the region; and

**WHEREAS**, schools are a key pillar in our local community and economy and quality schools is a primary reason why residents choose to call Folsom home; and

**WHEREAS**, Folsom educators and education staff have one of the most important jobs in Folsom, and they provide students with the education and support they need to thrive; and

**WHEREAS**, educators and school employees play a vital role in the lives of their students and lay the foundation for lifelong success and educators and school employees nurture, inspire, educate, and encourage our youth and mold future citizens through guidance and education; and

**WHEREAS**, this year, we faced unprecedented times in our community and in our schools and educators and school staff have demonstrated tremendous dedication to educating our youth during this challenging time; and

**WHEREAS**, schools throughout our community had to abruptly adapt and transition from traditional classroom teaching to remote learning, setting up new lesson plans, utilizing new technology, and finding new ways to check on the well-being of students... while juggling the effects of COVID-19 in their own personal lives; and

**WHEREAS**, teachers and staff are not just teaching classroom lessons; they are teachers of technology and the digital communication systems they were thrust into using. They are also providing emotional support to the students and families they serve.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Sarah Aquino, Mayor of the City of Folsom on behalf of the Folsom City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of **November 16 - 20, 2020 as SCHOOL WORKER APPRECIATION WEEK** in recognition and appreciation of the outstanding work and dedication of all Folsom educators and school staff.

**PROCLAIMED** this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020.

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Sarah Aquino, MAYOR

Attest:

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Christa Freemantle, CITY CLERK

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