

Proclamation

Declaring September 1, 2021 as Back to School Appreciation Day

WHEREAS, in recognition of Tualatin’s teachers, coaches, parents, school district employees, volunteers, mentors, and school board officials, the Tualatin City Council extends their profound appreciation for your distinguished service, innovation, creativity, and dedication to our children throughout a remote-learning school year dominated by the effects of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, after a year of distance learning and limited, altered, or discontinued activities and celebrations of school milestones, Tualatin teachers, aides, principals, school board members, and supporting school staff are preparing to welcome the return of in-person Tigard-Tualatin School District students; and

WHEREAS, the diverse, supportive, and engaging in-person classroom structure and experiences embraced by the Tigard-Tualatin School District community allows educators to support students and each other, and build a durable sense of community that buoys parents, students, and families; and

WHEREAS, Tualatin school routines have been sorely missed by students, parents, and the community over the course of 2020, and a new recognition of and appreciation for the difficult job educators take on everyday exists in households across the City; and

WHEREAS, Tualatin families are eagerly anticipating the return of in-person learning and connections that have been the cornerstone of a student’s educational experience and contributed to lifelong memories, friendships, and successful future careers.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tualatin City Council does hereby proclaim September 1, 2021 as

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in Tualatin, Oregon and encourages residents to recognize the important role that dedicated educators play in development a great community for future generations. Thank you teachers for all you do to fill so many roles – mentor, role model, coach, and motivator – in the community.

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED this 30th day of August, 2021.

CITY OF TUALATIN, OREGON

BY _____
Mayor

ATTEST:

BY _____
City Recorder