

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
September 13, 2017**

RED RIBBON WEEK, OCTOBER 23-31, 2017

WHEREAS, the Orange County Board of Education, the Orange County Superintendent of Schools and other local organizations acknowledge October 23-31, 2017 as Orange County's RED RIBBON WEEK campaign; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that schools and communities launch unified and visible prevention education programs and activities to eliminate the use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs by youth; and

WHEREAS, parents, youth, government, business, law enforcement, schools, faith-based and community organizations, and the general public will demonstrate their commitment to drug-free communities by displaying red ribbons during this week-long campaign; and

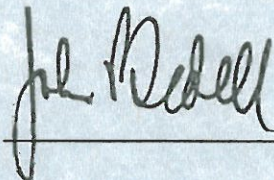
WHEREAS, the California State Board of Education encourages the commitment of time and resources to ensure the success of the RED RIBBON WEEK campaign and year-round prevention education efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Orange County Board of Education adopts Resolution No. 08-17 in support of October 23-31, 2017 as Orange County's RED RIBBON WEEK campaign and encourages all community members to promote alcohol, tobacco, and other drug prevention and education programs.

AYES: 5
NOES: 0
ABSENT: 0
STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
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COUNTY OF ORANGE)

I, Dr. John W. Bedell, President of the Orange County Board of Education, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted by the said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 13th day of September, 2017, and passed by 5-0 vote of said Board members present.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of September, 2017.



John W. Bedell, Ph.D., President
Orange County Board of Education