

**OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Office of the Superintendent of Schools

September 27, 2017

<b>Legislative File</b>	
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TO: Board of Education

FROM: Kyla Johnson-Trammell, Superintendent  
Tara Gard, Deputy Chief Talent Officer, Talent Division SUBJECT: Proclaiming October, 2017, as Oakland Unified School District's *National Principals' Month***ACTION REQUESTED**

Adoption by the Board of Education of Resolution No. 1718-0061 - Proclaiming October, 2017, as the District's *National Principals' Month* in honor of all of its school leaders.

**BACKGROUND**

According to the National Associations of Elementary School, Middle School and Secondary School Principals, principals are among the hardest working, yet, often, least recognized individuals in education. Principals set the academic tone for their schools, and it is their vision, dedication, and determination that provide the mobilizing force for achieving student success. *National Principals' Month* is a widely recognized celebration of the principalship, marked by national and state resolutions supporting the event, as well as acknowledgements from U.S. Senators and Representatives, and top government officials.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

None.

**RECOMMENDATION**

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**RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
OF THE  
OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Resolution No. 1718-0061**

- Recognition of October, 2017, as District Principals' Month -

**WHEREAS**, the National Association of Secondary School Principals and the National Association of Elementary School Principals have declared the month of October, 2017, to be "National Principals' Month"; and,

**WHEREAS**, principals are educational visionaries, instructional and assessment leaders, disciplinarians, community builders, budget analysts, facilities managers, and administrators of legal and contractual obligations; and,

**WHEREAS**, principals work collaboratively with teachers and parents to develop and implement a clear mission, high curriculum standards, and performance goals; and,

**WHEREAS**, principals create school environments that facilitate great teaching and learning and continuous school improvement; and,

**WHEREAS**, the vision, actions, and dedication of principals provide the mobilizing force behind any school reform effort; and,

**WHEREAS**, the celebration of National Principals' Month would honor elementary school, middle school, and high school principals, and recognize the importance of principals in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District salutes the principals/school leaders of Oakland Public Schools and hereby proclaims October, 2017, as Principals Month in the District, in conjunction with National Principals Month, in recognition and in honor of each and every District School Leader for his or her contribution to the school communities of Oakland. The District urges all residents of the District to honor—everyday—the contributions of our principals/school leaders.

Passed by the following vote:


AYES: Jody London, Aimee Eng, Shanthi Gonzales, Roseann Torres, Jumke Hinton Hodge, Vice President Nina Senn, President James Harris

NOES: None

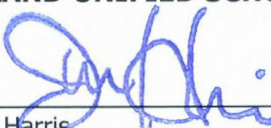
ABSTAINED: None

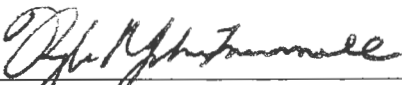
ABSENT: None

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution passed at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District held September 27, 2017.

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