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### **Board Cover Memorandum**

**To** Board of Education

**From** Kyla Johnson-Trammell, Superintendent

March 24, 2021

Tara Gard, Deputy Chief Talent Officer, Talent Division

Meeting

**Date** 

Subject Repeal/Designation/Selection - Oakland Unified School District

- 2020-2021 Classified School Employees of the Year -

**Talent/Human Resources Department** 

Ask of the Board

Adoption by the Board of Education of Resolution No. 2021-0203 - Repeal/Designation/Selection - Oakland Unified School District - 2020-

2021 Classified School Employees of the Year - Talent/Human

Resources Department

**Background** 

The purpose of this Repeal/Designation/Selection is twofold: 1) to reflect recent changes in the number of categories available to honor classified staff at the direction of the California Department of Education and 2) to designate/select/honor named District 2020-2021 Classified School Employees of the Year.

# **Discussion**

The California Department of Education (CDE), current year, added three additional categories and renamed the existing six categories of the Classified School Employees Program. This, therefore, is a new Resolution to mirror the revised selection/categories of the CDE Classified School Employees of the Year Program. The new categories are now named: Paraprofessional; Clerical and Administrative Services; Transportation Services; Food and Nutrition Services; Custodial and Maintenance Services; Security Services; Health and Student Services; Technical Services and Skilled Trades. The District's nine honorees are in turn submitted to the Alameda County Office of Education in consideration of being nominated/selected as Alameda County Classified School Employees of the Year.

As Superintendent, the Classified School Employees of the Year Selection Team, has recommended to me that Tanya Beck, Michelle Ortiz, Solomon Hutalla, Nakheu Saephanh, Gregory Houchins, Melvin Phillips Munera Mohsin, Daniel Augustine, and Robert Strong Jr., each, be named by the Board of Education as OUSD Classified School Employees of the Year for 2020-2021 in

the revised/renamed/additional categories. I have accepted the recommendations made by the selection team and request that the Board select and designate said employees as named in the attached Resolution No. 2021-0203.

Fiscal Impact N/A

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**Attachment:** Resolution No. 2021-0203

# RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE

# OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Resolution No. 2021-0203

Repeal/Designation/Selection - Oakland Unified School District - 2020-2021 Classified School Employees of the Year - Talent/Human Resources Department

**WHEREAS,** previously the goal of the District's Classified School Employees of the Year Program was to identify and honor outstanding classified line employees in each of six categories: Child Nutrition, Maintenance Operations and Facilities, Office and Technical, Para-Educator and Instructional Assistance, School Security and Support, and Transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 24, 2021, the Board of Education named Tanya Beck, Michelle Ortiz, Solomon Hutalla, Nakheu Saephanh, Gregory Houchins, and Munera Mohsin as Oakland Unified School District's 2020-2021 "Classified School Employees of the Year, each, in a respective category named above; and

**WHEREAS**, on or about March 4, 2021, the District was notified by the Alameda County Office of Education that the California Department of Education had changed, renamed and/or expanded the recognition categories of the Classified School Employees of the Year Program, as Paraprofessional; Clerical and Administrative Services; Transportation Services; Food and Nutrition Services; Custodial and Maintenance Services; Security Services; Health and Student Services; Technical Services; and Skilled Trades; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education hereby repeals Resolution No. 2021-0100 (Legislative File ID No. 21-0262, Enactment No. 21-0225, February 24, 2021) and in lieu thereof, upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, having accepted the Classified School Employees of the Year selection team recommendation, hereby adopts, designates, selects, names the following employee, as the District's 2020-2021 Classified School Employee of the Year, in the following changed, renamed and/or expanded recognition category:

EMPLOYEE	CATEGORY
Tanya Beck	Paraprofessional
Michelle Ortiz	Clerical and Administrative Services
Solomon Hutalla	Transportation Services
Nakheu Saephanh	Food and Nutrition Services
Gregory Houchins	Custodial and Maintenance Services
Melvin Phillips	Security Services

Munera Mohsin	Health and Student Services
Daniel Augustine	Technical Services
Robert Strong, Jr.	Skilled Trades

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Board designates the named employee, by category, as the District's nominee (awardee) for the 2020-2021 Alameda County Classified School Employee of the Year; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Board of Education shall honor each said employee at its April 28, 2021, Regular Meeting.

Passed by the following vote:

PREFERENTIAL AYE: None

PREFERENTIAL NOE: None

PREFERENTIAL ABSTENTION: None

PREFERENTIAL RECUSE: None

AYES: Aimee Eng, VanCedric Williams, Gary Yee, Mike Hutchinson, Clifford Thompson,

Vice President Benjamin "Sam" Davis and President Shanthi Gonzales

NOES: None

ABSTAINED: None

RECUSED: None

ABSENT: Samantha Pal (Student Director) and Jessica Ramos (Student Director)

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 March 24, 2021.

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