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To Board of Education

From Board of Education

Meeting Date May 8, 2024

Subject Tribute to Student Director Anevay Cruz

Ask of the Board Approval by the Board of Education of Resolution No.2324-0209 - Recognizing, Appreciating, and Paying Tribute to Student Director Anevay Cruz

Background & Discussion Student Director Cruz, who grew up in Oakland, is an active organizer in her community, and has been a powerful advocate for students while serving on the OUSD School Board. Director Cruz was elected by students to serve as one of two Student Directors on the OUSD Board of Education for the 2023-24 school year. Director Cruz has served as the All City Council LCAP Director from 2020-2023, attempting to bring student voice to OUSD’s budget development process. Director Cruz served as Associated Student Body Internal Affairs from 2022-23 and Vice President in 2023-24 school year at Oakland High School and leads the school-wide Delegate Assembly, where her fellow student government officers organize events and raise money for special projects. Director Cruz has been committed to supporting her Oakland community throughout the pandemic by assisting with Trybe’s food distribution program from 2020-22. During her time on the Board, Director Cruz served with advocacy, leadership, mentorship, and commitment to uplifting student voices and leaving a powerful and positive legacy for future student organizers and Student Directors. Director Cruz will be graduating from Oakland High School on May 22, 2024 and will be attending college this Fall.

Fiscal Impact N/A

Attachment(s)

- Resolution No. 2324-0209 - Recognizing, Appreciating, and Paying Tribute to Student Director Anevay Cruz

**RESOLUTION OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE
OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Resolution No. 2324-0209

Recognizing, Appreciating, and Paying Tribute to Student Director Anevay Cruz

WHEREAS, Student Director Cruz, who grew up in Oakland, is an active organizer in her community, and has been a powerful advocate for students while serving on the OUSD School Board;

WHEREAS, Director Cruz was elected by students to serve as one of two Student Director on the OUSD Board of Education for the 2023-24 school year;

WHEREAS, Director Cruz has served as the All City Council LCAP Director from 2020-2023, attempting to bring student voice to OUSD's budget development process;

WHEREAS, Director Cruz served as Associated Student Body Internal Affairs from 2022-23 and Vice President in 2023-24 school year at Oakland High School and leads the school-wide Delegate Assembly, where her fellow student government officers organize events and raise money for special projects;

WHEREAS, Director Cruz has been committed to supporting her Oakland community throughout the pandemic by assisting with Trybe's food distribution program from 2020-22,

WHEREAS, during her time on the Board, Director Cruz served with advocacy, leadership, mentorship, and commitment to uplifting student voice and leaving a powerful and positive legacy for future student organizers and Student Directors; and

WHEREAS, Director Cruz will be graduating from Oakland High School on May 22, 2024 and will be attending college this Fall,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education hereby recognizes, appreciates and pays tribute to Director Cruz for her dedicated service to the students, staff, and families of Oakland, commends her for the passion and commitment with which she gave a powerful voice to the students of the District, and wishes her well in all of her future endeavors.

Given under our hand and the District's seal this 8th day of May, 2024, in Oakland, California.

(DISTRICT SEAL)

Benjamin Davis
President, Board of Education

Kyla Johnson-Trammell
Superintendent of Schools

Passed by the following vote:

PREFERENTIAL AYE:

PREFERENTIAL NOE:

PREFERENTIAL ABSTENTION:

PREFERENTIAL RECUSE:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAINED:

RECUSED:

ABSENT:

CERTIFICATION

We 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 on May 8, 2024.

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