BEFORE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

RESOLUTION NO. 6-20-2023C RECOGNIZING JUNE AS LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER/QUESTIONING, INTERSEX, ASEXUAL, AND MORE (LGBTQIA+) Pride Month

- **WHEREAS,** Compton Community College District strives to model, advocate, and promote the inclusive and respectful treatment of all our students, faculty, administrators, and Classified Professionals; and
- **WHEREAS,** sexual orientation and gender expression-biased bullying are among the most common forms of harassment in schools, and LGBTQIA+ are more likely to be targets of bullying, harassment, and violence; and
- WHEREAS, no one should ever be the target of bullying, harassment, or violence; and
- WHEREAS, Compton Community College District is committed to fostering a safe, respectful, and inclusive community culture for all students, faculty, administrators, and Classified Professionals of the LGBTQIA+ community and those that may be perceived as such; and
- **WHEREAS,** Compton Community College District strives to ensure that the College and community are safe and affirming spaces for all students, faculty, Administrators, Classified Professionals, and their families; and
- **WHEREAS**, education regarding LGBTQIA+ issues increases understanding and cultivates acceptance of and respect for members of the LGBTQIA+ community; and
- **WHEREAS**, the month of June is an opportunity to come together to celebrate with pride the identities and contributions of the LGBTQIA+ community; and
- WHEREAS, serving as a symbol of LGBTQIA+ social justice movement advancements and support of the immense diversity and unity of the LGBTQIA+ community, the LGBTQIA+ Pride Flag flies 365 days per year on the Compton College campus; and
- WHEREAS, by recognizing Pride Month, the District supports policies, practices, and curriculum that honor and respect LGBTQIA+ students, faculty, Administrators, Classified Professionals, and their families.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Compton Community College District Board of Trustees recognizes June as Pride Month at Compton College; as an important time to celebrate our dynamic and diverse LGBTQIA+ community; to educate ourselves and others about the achievements and challenges of LGBTQIA+ people throughout history; and to foster dialogue that inspires equity and inclusivity that create alliances and promotes a healthy, safe, and prosperous environment for all on our campus and in our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the following vote of the Board of Trustees of the Compton Community College District, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on June 20, 2023.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

Barbara Calhoun, President Compton Community College District Board of Trustees

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct transcript of a resolution duly adopted by the Governing Board named therein at a duly constituted meeting of said Governing Board held on June 20, 2023, as it appears upon the minutes of the said meeting on June 20, 2023.

Keith Curry, Ed.D., Secretary to the Governing Board Compton Community College District