

# COSUMNES COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

## PROCLAMATION

### CELEBRATING ASIAN AMERICAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER HERITAGE MONTH

**WHEREAS**, Cosumnes Community Services District is guided by the principals of inclusivity in its commitment to help improve the lives of all individuals in the diverse community we serve; and

**WHEREAS**, May is nationally recognized as a month-long celebration of the rich culture and heritage, and the innumerable, remarkable contributions of Asian Americans and Pacific Islander to the American story; and

**WHEREAS**, the District recognizes that Asian American includes people from a diverse range of distinct ethnic groups, including Vietnamese, Chinese, Filipino, Taiwanese Japanese, Indian, Pakistan, Nepalese, Bangladeshi, Laotian, Korean, Cambodian, Hmong, Thai, Malaysian, and Indonesian; and

**WHEREAS**, the District recognizes that Pacific Islander includes people from a wide array of distinct ethnic groups including Samoan, Native Hawaiian, Guamanian, Fijian, Tongan, New Zealand Maori, and Tahitian; and

**WHEREAS**, The District appreciates the rich tapestry of interconnected cultures that form and enrich our community, celebrates our fellow Americans from Asian American and Pacific Islander communities, and pays tribute to all they have done to help fulfill the promise of American for all; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Cosumnes Community Services District Board of Directors does hereby proclaim May of 2023, as:

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and invites staff and the community to learn more about the cultures, people, traditions, and values that have positively enriched the community.

**DONE AND PROCLAIMED** this 1st day of May 2023, in Elk Grove, California.

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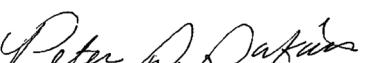
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