

COSUMNES COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

PROCLAMATION

HONORING VETERANS DAY

WHEREAS, it has long been our country's custom to commemorate November 11, the anniversary of the ending of World War I, by paying tribute to the heroes of that tragic struggle and by rededicating ourselves to the cause of peace; and

WHEREAS, Congress passed a concurrent resolution on June 4, 1928 (44 Stat. 1962), calling for the observance of November 11 with appropriate ceremonies, and later provided in an act approved May 13, 1938 (52 Stat. 351), that November 11 should be a legal holiday and should be known as Armistice Day; and

WHEREAS, in order to expand the significance of that commemoration and in order that a grateful nation might pay appropriate homage to the veterans of all its wars who have contributed so much to the preservation of this Nation, the Congress, by an act approved June 1, 1954 (68 Stat. 168), changed the name of the holiday to Veterans Day; and


WHEREAS, President Dwight D. Eisenhower issued the first "Veterans Day Proclamation" which stated: "In order to ensure proper and widespread observance of this anniversary, all veterans, all veterans' organizations, and the entire citizenry will wish to join hands in the common purpose;" and

WHEREAS, the District is passionate about ensuring the sacrifices of millions of heroes who served during war and are remembered for generations to come; and

WHEREAS, the District encourages our community members to honor our local Veterans on November 11, 2023, and remember the sacrifices that have been made for our freedom; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Directors of the Cosumnes Community Services District, on this 11th day of November 2023, observe Veterans Day as a tribute to military veterans who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces.

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



Gil Albani, President



Jim Luttrell, Vice President



Peter Sakaris, Director





Orlando Fuentes, Director



Angela Spease, Director

ATTEST:



Phil Lewis, General Manager/ CEO