SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item # 9.3

Meeting Date: June 8, 2023					
Subject: Approve Resolution 3329: Recognizing Pride Month, June 2023					
	Information Item Only Approval on Consent Agenda Conference (for discussion only)				

Estimated Time of Presentation: 5 minutes
Submitted by: Taylor Kayatta, Board Member

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SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION RESOLUTION NO. 3329

RECOGNITION OF LGBTQ+ PRIDE MONTH, JUNE 2023

WHEREAS, the Sacramento City Unified School District is a Safe Haven School District that proclaims "ALL are welcome here" and promotes the safe, inclusive, and respectful treatment of all of our students and staff, including the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Questioning (LGBTQ+) community or those that may be perceived as such; and

WHEREAS, according to the <u>UCLA Williams Institute</u> approximately 9 million people in the US identify as LGBTQ+ with over 50% identifying as bisexual,

WHEREAS, school-age years are a critical time for LGBTQ+ youth as they often "come out" or disclose their LGBTQ+ identities during that time; and

WHEREAS, sexual orientation and gender expression-based bullying is among the most common form of harassment in schools, which can contribute to significantly

- c. Provide resources and support for Gay-Straight Alliances or Gender and Sexuality Alliances (GSAs) and encourage the formation of such clubs at every middle and high school.
- d. Enhance LGBTQ+ curricular resources and provide mandatory professional development for teachers and staff on district policies and the creation of inclusive environments for all LGBTQ+ students and members of our school communities.
- e. Identify state legislation that supports the principles outlined in this resolution and bring draft letters of support to the Board of Education for adoption.

Education on this 8t	h day of June, 2023	, by the following vote:
AYES: NOES: ATTESTED TO:	ABSTAIN:	ABSENT:
		Jorge A. Aguilar
Secretary of the Boa	ard of Education	
		Chinua Rhodes, President of the Board of
Education		

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of