

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

RESOLUTION NO. 22-024

RECOGNIZING TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK MAY 2-6, 2022

WHEREAS, schools are the backbone of our democracy, providing young people with the tools they need to maintain Snohomish County's values of freedom, civility, and equality; and

WHEREAS, Snohomish County recognizes the dedication and commitment of teachers in ensuring that each student receive the very best education; and

WHEREAS, student learning and development is a reflection of the highly skilled and dedicated teachers, influencing us long after our school days are only memories; and

WHEREAS, teachers are the single most influential factor in students' educational experience; and

WHEREAS, teachers in Snohomish County encounter students of widely differing backgrounds and support them all equitably and with compassion; and

WHEREAS, teachers spend untold hours and resources preparing lessons, evaluating progress, counseling and coaching students, educating, and performing service to our community; and

WHEREAS, paraprofessionals provide services in multiple settings throughout Snohomish County, providing integral support to student achievement; and

WHEREAS, teachers deserve our admiration now, more than ever;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Snohomish County Council does hereby recognize May 2-6, 2022, as Teacher Appreciation Week in Snohomish County and encourage Snohomish County residents to extend appreciation to teachers, paraeducators and all school staff for their dedication and devotion to their work.

APPROVED this 27th day of April, 2022.

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