

RESOLUTION #22/23-26
IN SUPPORT OF
JEWISH AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

WHEREAS, May is Jewish American Heritage Month, a month that provides an opportunity for all people to appreciate the achievements and contributions of Jewish Americans throughout history; and

WHEREAS, in 1980, President Jimmy Carter adopted a proclamation annually recognizing Jewish American Heritage Week, and in April 2006, President George W. Bush adopted a proclamation that May would be recognized as Jewish American Heritage Month; and

WHEREAS, Jewish Americans have made significant contributions to society and culture, including science, medicine, sports, entertainment, business, civil rights, government, military service, and philanthropy; and

WHEREAS, Jewish Americans often face unspeakable discrimination and adversity, yet for hundreds of years, they have fought heroically in battle, pursued peace, and always persevered; and

WHEREAS, Conejo Valley Unified School District reaffirms our commitment to combating antisemitism and discrimination against Jewish Americans; and

WHEREAS, in the month of May, the Conejo Valley Unified School District encourages staff, students, and community members to remember, honor, celebrate, and learn about Jewish Americans and their essential role in building our Nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Board of the Conejo Valley Unified School District recognizes May 2023 as Jewish American Heritage Month.



Lisa Evans Powell, DSW, Clerk, Board of Education



Mark W. McLaughlin, Ed.D., Superintendent
and Secretary to the Board