

### JUDSON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Meeting Date: September 19, 2024 Submitted By: Dr. Lacey Gosch Title: Assistant Superintendent

Agenda Item: Consider and take action regarding approving the Proclamation for Red Ribbon

Week for Judson ISD, October 23rd-31st, 2024

#### **CONSENT ITEM**

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board of Trustees approve the Red Ribbon Week Proclamation to acknowledge October 23rd-31st 2024 as Red Ribbon Week for Judson ISD.

#### **IMPACT/RATIONALE:**

Acknowledge the 2024 Red Ribbon Week theme, "Life is a movie, Film Drug Free." This year's theme is a reminder that ordinary Americans nationwide contribute significantly to their communities every day by embracing a drug-free lifestyle. During Red Ribbon Week, the district will participate in a variety of activites related to drug use prevention and awareness. Activities will include, but may not be limited to, guidance lessons throughout the month, rallies to promote red ribbon week, drug prevention information shared by counselors during secondary lunch periods, SACADA campus presentations, Rise Recovery campus presentations, and drug prevention parades.

## **BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: Approval/Disapproval**



# Red Ribbon Week Proclamation Judson Independent School District Board of Trustees

WHEREAS: Alcohol and drug abuse affects individuals, families, and communities across the nation; and

WHEREAS: It is imperative that visible, unified efforts by community members be launched to prevent drug abuse; and

WHEREAS: Red Ribbon Week offers citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles; and

**WHEREAS:** Red Ribbon Week will be celebrated in communities across the nation between October 23 -31, 2024; and

WHEREAS: Businesses, government, law enforcement, media, health care providers, religious institutions, schools, and other community-based organizations will demonstrate their commitment to healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing red ribbons and participating in drug prevention activities; and

WHEREAS: The community of Judson Independent School District further commits its resources to ensure the success of Red Ribbon Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Suzanne Kenoyer, by virtue of the authority vested in me as School Board President of the Judson Independent School District Board of Trustees, do hereby proclaim October 23-31, 2024, as RED RIBBON WEEK, with the theme, "Life is a movie, Film Drug Free." This year's theme is a reminder that ordinary Americans nationwide contribute significantly to their communities every day by embracing a drug-free lifestyle. We encourage our community to participate in drug prevention education activities, not only during Red Ribbon Week but also throughout the year, making a visible statement that we are strongly committed to a drug-free lifestyle.

Suzanne Kenoyer, President
Laura Stanford, Secretary

