

PROCLAMATION

Presented by Chairwoman Dianne Jacob

HONORING CAJON VALLEY UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the health, safety and well-being of residents is of primary concern for the County of San Diego and on July 13, 2010, the San Diego County Board of Supervisors adopted the Live Well San Diego initiative to achieve the County's vision of safe, healthy and thriving communities; and

WHEREAS, the Live Well San Diego initiative is about uniting all sectors—business, schools, military and veteran's organizations, community- and faith-based organizations, and all levels of government—in order to bring about positive change; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District educates more than 16,000 students including early start and pre-school through 8th grade; and

WHEREAS, the 2013 strategic plan of the Cajon Valley Union School District outlines a focus on actively engaged students who are competitive in a global society and the equitable allocation of resources to support student learning; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District utilizes technology to advance learning and increase efficiency and fostering positive relationships among the district staff, families and the community; and

WHEREAS, Cajon Valley Union School District received the 2014 Innovation in Education Award for transforming learning through production rather than consumption; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District benefits from a grant from the Kaiser Permanente Foundation that is helping to fund several important health initiatives and programs within the district; and

WHEREAS, since 2010, the Cajon Valley Union School District has had three Safe Routes to School infrastructure projects to improve the pedestrian infrastructure at three school sites; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District was awarded a 3-year Refugee School Impact Grant from the California Department of Social Services in 2013 to increase attendance and decrease discipline and referrals; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District has demonstrated leadership in promoting healthy policies and environmental changes within its schools and community to promote physical activity and access to healthier foods; and

WHEREAS, the Cajon Valley Union School District conducts a district wide student health survey, coordinates yoga classes with the City of El Cajon Recreation Department, and explores opportunities to open the central kitchen for community food distribution; and

*WHEREAS, the County of San Diego is committed to recognizing and honoring organizations who strive to support the Live Well San Diego initiative to achieve healthy, safe and thriving communities that improve quality of life for all, and the Cajon Valley Union School District is one such worthy organization; **NOW THEREFORE,***

***BE IT PROCLAIMED** by Chairwoman Dianne Jacob and all members of the San Diego Board of Supervisors on this 24th day of June 2014, that they commend the Cajon Valley Union School District for its outstanding service, leadership, and commitment to the health and wellness of county residents, and do hereby declare this day to be the **"CAJON VALLEY UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY"** throughout the County of San Diego.*