## ELK GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT ELK GROVE, CALIFORNIA RESOLUTION NO. 33 , 2016-2017

## ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIVE AMERICAN MONTH

**WHEREAS**, People of Native American heritage have played a central role in the history of the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, The United States has paused to recognize the contributions of these citizens throughout the course of our history; and

**WHEREAS**, President George W. Bush, in 2002, proclaimed November to be National American Indian Heritage Month; and

**WHEREAS**, We acknowledge these Americans for their contributions to government, industry, commerce, agriculture, science, literature, and the arts; and

WHEREAS, The History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve states that the study of community, state, region, nation, and world must reflect the experiences of men and women of different racial, religious, and ethnic groups throughout the curriculum at every level,

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Governing Board of the Elk Grove Unified School District that November 2016 is designated as Native American Month and that all educational sites be encouraged to recognize the contributions of Native Americans through our curriculum and activities at the school; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this resolution be distributed to every school in the District.

Christopher R. Hoffman
Secretary to the Board of Education