

**CENTRAL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA**

RESOLUTION #17/18-28

**DECLARING MARCH 2, 2018
NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION'S READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Central Unified School District has adopted and entrusts all district personnel to uphold our Guiding Principles, Beliefs, Vision, Mission, Goals and Core Values every day; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Central Unified School District stands firmly committed to promoting reading as the catalyst for our students' future academic success, their preparation for success in college, career, and community; and

WHEREAS, the schools within the Central Unified District have provided significant leadership in the area of community involvement in the education of our youth, grounded in the principle that educational investment is the key to the community's well being and long-term quality of life; and

WHEREAS, National Education Association's (NEA's) Read Across America, a national celebration of Dr Seuss's 114th birthday on March 2, 2018, promotes reading and adult involvement in the education of our community's students.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Central Unified School District calls on the citizens of our community to assure that every student in every classroom is reading together with a caring adult on March 2, 2018;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Board of Trustees enthusiastically endorses NEA's Read Across America and recommits the Central Unified School District to engage in programs and activities to make America's children the best readers in the world.

Approved this 27th day of February, 2018.

Mr. Cesar Granda
President, Board of Trustees

Mr. Mark G. Sutton
Superintendent