

# CITY OF FRESNO

*Office of Mayor Jerry Dyer & The Fresno City Council*

**WHEREAS**, the Carden School of Fresno is a private, non-profit school that was opened in Fresno in 1963 and has been a part of the community for 60 years; and

**WHEREAS**, as a National Blue Ribbon School, Carden School of Fresno provides a quality learning environment from junior kindergarten through middle school; and

**WHEREAS**, the mission of Carden School of Fresno is to provide the highest quality education of the whole child with joy, enthusiasm, dignity, and respect. The goal of the Carden School of Fresno is to develop educated, ethical, and self-reliant individuals who make a positive difference in the world; and

**WHEREAS**, as part of their quest for academic excellence, Carden students participate in a variety of activities, including competing in the Fresno County Science Fair. The Fresno County Science Fair is an annual competition for students in 6th-12th grade and includes not only Fresno County, but also the counties of Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, and Tulare; and

**WHEREAS**, this year, 22 Carden students competed in the County Science Fair. Out of those 22 students: 19 students placed in the County Science Fair, 9 students were selected to continue on to the State Science Fair, 2 students placed at the State Science Fair, and 8 students were selected to continue on to the National Science Fair; and

**WHEREAS**, the number of students who placed in the Science Fair and were from Carden was more than any other middle school - or high school - in the entire five counties participating in the County Science Fair; and

**WHEREAS**, the Carden instructor for the science team, Dr. Yasui, was recognized as the "Coach of the Year" for the County Science Fair and was selected as the "Teacher Spotlight" for the National Science Fair.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that we, Mayor Jerry Dyer and the Council of the City of Fresno, do hereby recognize the Carden School of Fresno, Dr. Yasui, and the Carden Science Team students for their continued history of academic excellence and declares July 20, 2023 to be:

***"Carden School of Fresno Science Fair Team Day"***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of The City of Fresno, California, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023.

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MAYOR JERRY DYER

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