SACRAMENTO COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION NO. 11-05

PUBLIC SCHOOL VOLUNTEER WEEK April 17 – 23, 2011

WHEREAS, parent and community involvement is a significant factor in the success of schools; and

WHEREAS, during the past decade, school systems throughout the country have accepted the services of dedicated volunteers to assist professional educators, and these volunteers have offered their time, encouragement, and meaningful contact with students; and

WHEREAS, by becoming a volunteer, parents, guardians, and community members are providing an invaluable contribution to the education of our students; and

WHEREAS, volunteers are called upon to assist teachers and staff with the day-to-day activities involved in providing a balanced education for our students and are an important part of a team that strives to ensure that each and every one of our students succeeds; and

WHEREAS, the LINKS Mentor Program is a voluntary program for Sacramento County Community School students and is in need of volunteer mentors; and

WHEREAS, the goal of the LINKS program is to prepare students to make necessary choices that lead to self-sufficiency, increased academic achievement, resourcefulness and high leadership skills;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Sacramento County Board of Education does hereby proclaim April 17 - 23, 2011 as Public School Volunteer Week in Sacramento County Public Schools and sincerely appreciates all dedicated volunteers for sharing their time and talents with the children in our communities.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of March 2011 by the Sacramento County Board of Education, Sacramento County, California.