



RESOLUTION #24-25:27

**DECLARING THE MONTH OF MAY  
NATIONAL MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH**

**WHEREAS,** mental health is essential to everyone's overall health and well-being; and

**WHEREAS,** behavioral health disorders, including major depression, schizophrenia, panic disorders, and obsessive-compulsive disorders, affect many children and youth every year, regardless of age, gender, race, ethnicity, religion, or economic status; and

**WHEREAS,** federal statistics show that one in ten children has a serious mental health condition, but only a third will receive any care at all, with even fewer receiving appropriate care; and

**WHEREAS,** a focus on prevention and early intervention efforts could greatly reduce the number of children experiencing serious mental health conditions; and

**WHEREAS,** children, youth, and adults can recover from mental illness and lead full, productive lives in the community; and

**WHEREAS,** every person and community can make a difference in helping end the silence and stigma that for too long has surrounded mental illness and discouraged people from getting help;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Azusa Unified School District Board of Education, that May is designated as National Mental Health Awareness Month.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Education of the Azusa Unified School District, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_

NOES: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

I, Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña, Clerk of the Board of Education, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly passed and adopted by said Board of Education at a regularly called and conducted Board of Education meeting held on said date.

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Yolanda Rodriguez-Peña,  
Clerk of the Board of Education