



**RESOLUTION #2021-2022-011**

**RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE CELEBRATION OF  
NATIONAL SCHOOL BUS DRIVER APPRECIATION  
DAY IN THE REYNOLDS SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**WHEREAS**, 72 licensed school bus drivers, 13 transportation office staff, and two transportation supervisors transport a majority of the district's students safely to and from school each day;

**WHEREAS**, school bus drivers travel each year on regular routes, field trip routes, vocational routes, and special education routes;

**WHEREAS**, the safety and well-being of children are of utmost concern to all Reynolds parents; school administrators entrust school bus drivers with the welfare of these children; the position of a school bus driver requires tremendous responsibility; they are to maneuver through traffic regardless of road conditions while maintaining the conduct of children on the bus and are looked to for leadership and life-saving decision-making in the event of an emergency;

**WHEREAS**, the National Safety Council has documented the far smaller number of accidents and fatalities per capita on school buses than automobiles;

**WHEREAS**, school bus drivers direct children while they are exiting the bus at their destination; school bus drivers are able to observe any suspicious activity or people along their bus route and communicate that information to proper authorities;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, The Reynolds School Board publicly thanks the school bus drivers and transportation office staff for their hard work and dedication to provide a safe ride to and from school for the students in our school district.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, The Superintendent or her designee shall celebrate National School Bus Driver Appreciation Day on February 23, 2022.

Adopted this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 2022.

Signed:

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Chair, Reynolds School District Board of Directors

Attest:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Anna Gray", is written above a horizontal line.

Superintendent/Clerk