

Resolution No. 45-17

HONORING DAVIS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL MADRIGAL SINGERS FOR 50 YEARS OF PERFORMANCE

WHEREAS, the Madrigal Singers under the direction of Richard Brunelle (1966-1967) as an extracurricular activity; and thereafter as an official class (1967 – 1993) and under Dr. Karen Gardias (1993 – 2017) celebrate their 50th Anniversary in 2017; and

WHEREAS, the DHS Madrigals is recognized as an a cappella choir with a long history of musical excellence in and around our school community; and

WHEREAS, the students in the choir learn and perform music from the 15th century to the present, perform in Renaissance-inspired costumes, and enthusiastically present 40 performances per year in the United States and abroad; and

WHEREAS, the choir-hosted traditional “Madrigal Dinner” ushering in the holiday season, is a favored tradition by many in the greater Davis community; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education through this resolution expresses their appreciation to current director Dr. Karen Gardias, the founding director Richard Brunelle, and the Madrigal singers and alumni, marking this remarkable achievement and for bestowing the gift of music on our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Education of the Davis Joint Unified School District this 12th day of June 2017.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

Barbara Archer, President
Board of Education

John A. Bowes, Ed.D.
Superintendent