## Resolution No. 2025 -

## RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DESIGNATING JULY 2025 AS PARK AND RECREATION MONTH IN SOLANO COUNTY AND RECOGNIZING JULY 18, 2025 AS PARK AND RECREATION PROFESSIONALS DAY

**WHEREAS**, public agencies throughout the nation have designated July as "Park and Recreation Month" since 1985, and July 18, 2025 as Park and Recreation Professionals Day; and

WHEREAS, Solano County, through its Department of Resource Management, Parks and Recreation Division, operates five parks: Lake Solano County Park, Sandy Beach County Park, Belden's Landing Water Access Facility, Lynch Canyon Open Space Park, and Patwino Worrtla Kodoi Dihi Open Space Park ("Solano County Parks") benefiting over 200,000 children, adults, and seniors in a typical year; and

**WHEREAS**, Solano County Parks are essential to establishing and maintaining the quality of life in our communities, enhancing the health and well-being of all residents and visitors, and contributing to the economic and environmental well-being of a community and region; and

**WHEREAS**, residents value their parks for access to outdoor spaces for children and adults to play, exercise, and participate in lifelong learning; and

**WHEREAS**, parks provide access to the serenity and inspiration of nature, improve water quality, protect groundwater, prevent flooding, improve the quality of the air we breathe, produce habitat for wildlife, and preserve and protect the historic, natural and cultural resources in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Solano County Board of Supervisors values the essential services that park and recreation professionals and volunteers perform to provide recreational and developmental enrichment for our children, youth, adults and older adults; and to ensure our parks and recreational spaces are clean, safe, inclusive, welcoming, and ready to use.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Solano County Board of Supervisors designates the month of July 2025 as "Parks and Recreation Month" in Solano County and July 18th as Park and Recreation Professionals Day and urges all residents to enjoy the social, physical, mental, environmental, and community benefits derived from the Solano County Parks.

Dated this 24th day of June 2025

MITCH H. MASHBURN, Chair Solano County Board of Supervisors	_
ATTEST: BILL EMLEN, Clerk Solano County Board of Supervisors	
By:	
Alicia Draves, Chief Deputy Clerk	