

Resolution No. 2026-

RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RECOGNIZING TAYLOR CONNELLEY FOR HER PARTICIPATION IN THE 2025 AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY GIRLS STATE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, each year, outstanding young women from area high schools are honored by American Legion Auxiliary Unit 165 for their participation in the Girls State summer leadership and citizenship program; and

WHEREAS, for over 75 years, the Girls State program, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary Unit, has offered hard-working students the opportunity to learn about the structure and responsibility of their government. Girls State offers training in the positive processes of self-government and good citizenship as practiced in a democratic society. Over the course of a week, students practice self-governance and learn the importance of meaningful participation on all levels of government; and

WHEREAS, Taylor Connelley is a 2025 Girls State delegate representing Buckingham Collegiate Charter Academy. As a California Girls State delegate, Taylor was chosen from some of the highest-achieving high school juniors from throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, the Girls State program taught Taylor more than just important lessons about government, but she walked away believing that she can make a big impact in society. Regarding her experience, Taylor said, "Girls State not only helped me make new friends and lifelong bonds, but it helped me learn that even at my age I can make a difference. Being around my fellow citizens who have similar academic achievements and aspirations, and learning about the amazing impact they have made helped me learn that no desire is too far out of reach if you put in hard work. I will forever strive to make a difference, just like how Girls State taught me."

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Solano County Board of Supervisors hereby recognize Taylor Connelley for her accomplishments and salutes her for participating in the Girls State program sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary Unit 165 of Vacaville.

Dated this 10th day of March, 2026

MONICA BROWN, Chair
Solano County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
IAN M. GOLDBERG, Clerk
Solano County Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Alicia Draves, Chief Deputy Clerk