**Organization Name Commemorates Special Districts Week**

Organization Name commemorates Special Districts Week to encourage residents of Name of Community/Region to be involved in their community and be civically engaged with their local government.

Name of Organization was formed in year to provide type of service(s) to Name of Community/Region. Additional background on the need for the organization, its services/infrastructure, and its value to the community.

Special Districts Week, May 16-22, will be proclaimed by the State Legislature with approval of Assembly Concurrent Resolution (ACR) 17.

“Insert quote,” stated Name of Organization Leader.

ACR 17 is sponsored by The California Special Districts Association (CSDA), a statewide association representing over 1,000 special districts and affiliate organizations throughout the state. Special districts are local government entities created by a community’s residents, funded by those residents, and overseen by those residents, to provide specialized services and infrastructure.

“Special districts are formed by residents to provide essential services that they want and need at the local level. They provide an opportunity to have local control while enhancing services that make communities survive and thrive,” said CSDA’s CEO Neil McCormick. “We appreciate the Legislature’s support in raising awareness and increasing understanding about the special districts that serve our State’s communities.”

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