



**LAGUNITAS SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION NO. 2021-05
RESOLUTION AGAINST SOCIAL INJUSTICE**

WHEREAS, we believe that the social structure of our greater community is the foundation for the development of our children and that our community directly affects the well-being, safety, self-esteem and educational readiness of our students

WHEREAS, we believe that a widespread lack of social justice currently exists in the United States, and in Marin County, for people of color and other groups identified by race, ethnic origin, gender, gender preference, physical capability or religious affiliation

WHEREAS, the mission statement of the Lagunitas School District states that “we strive for quality, balancing academic excellence, social awareness, civic responsibility, and self-esteem in a safe and attractive learning environment where all participants benefit.”

WHEREAS, we believe that any public policy that threatens any single member of our diverse community adversely affects every student and that racial inequality and social injustice undermines the security of every family

WHEREAS, we believe that the social responsibility that we hope to teach our students must be reflected in the actions of our educational and community leaders

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Lagunitas School District opposes all forms of social injustice and inequitable treatment of any members of our community, that we stand in solidarity with the Black Lives Matter Movement and that we recognize the need for every civic organization to act aggressively to combat racism by actively supporting our anti-racism policy and to seek equity on our schools and in our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this day, July 23, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: 5

NOES: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ABSENT: 0