

**MCCLLOUD COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
RESOLUTION NO. 10, 2020**

**Approving of the 13th ANNUAL “READ ACROSS SISKIYOU” event
Sponsored by First 5 Siskiyou Children and Families Commission**

WHEREAS, the ultimate goal of the First 5 Siskiyou Children and Families Commission is that all of Siskiyou’s children from prenatal through 5 years of age will be healthy, ready to learn, and supported in safe, nurturing families and communities; and

WHEREAS, children in Siskiyou County from prenatal through 5 years of age have a successful start in life through daily reading with supportive and nurturing families, caregivers, educators and community leaders; and


WHEREAS, early literacy is the foundation for academic, social emotional, and economic success; and

WHEREAS, First 5 Siskiyou, in partnership with Family/Community Resource Centers, dedicates one day each year to promote early literacy through "Read Across Siskiyou" by providing the same titled book, read by guest readers to children in various preschools, kindergartens, child care settings and libraries throughout Siskiyou County on the same day and provide each child with a copy of that book.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the McCloud Service District hereby proclaims November 18, 2020 as the 13th anniversary of “Read Across Siskiyou” and be it that this body enthusiastically endorses daily reading, singing and playing with children as a critical foundation for healthy development and lifelong success.

Adopted on October 26, 2020 by the following votes:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:


Catherine Young, Board President

ATTEST:


Teryl Smith, District Secretary

