




Red Ribbon Week/Fentanyl Poisoning Awareness Proclamation

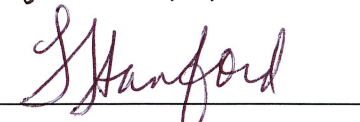
- WHEREAS:** Alcohol and drug abuse affects individuals, families, and communities across the nation; and
- WHEREAS:** It is imperative that visible, unified efforts by community members be launched to prevent drug abuse; and
- WHEREAS:** Red Ribbon Week/Fentanyl Poisoning Awareness Month offers citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles; and
- WHEREAS:** Red Ribbon Week/Fentanyl Poisoning Awareness Month will be celebrated in communities across the nation between October 23-31, 2023; and
- WHEREAS:** Businesses, government, law enforcement, media, health care providers, religious institutions, schools, and other community-based organizations will demonstrate their commitment to healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing red ribbons and participating in drug prevention activities; and
- WHEREAS:** The community of Judson Independent School District further commits its resources to ensure the success of Red Ribbon Week/Fentanyl Poisoning Awareness Month.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, José A. Macias, Jr., by virtue of the authority vested in me as School Board President of the Judson Independent School District Board of Trustees, do hereby proclaim October 23-31, 2023, as RED RIBBON WEEK/Fentanyl Poisoning Awareness Month, and encourage our community to participate in drug prevention education activities, not only during Red Ribbon Week but also throughout the year, making a visible statement that we are strongly committed to a drug-free lifestyle.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Judson Independent School District to be affixed this 19th day of October, the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-three.



José A. Macias, Jr., President



Laura Stanford, Secretary

