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***Resolution No.17*****RECOGNIZING OCTOBER 23 – 31, 2021 AS RED RIBBON WEEK**

***“Drug Free Looks Like Me!”***

**WHEREAS**, alcohol, tobacco, and other drug/chemical abuse continues to plague individuals, families and society in general; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is imperative that community members maintain a visible vigilance against substance abuse and fully support prevention education efforts to reduce the desire and demand for drugs and alcohol; and,

**WHEREAS**, Californians for Drug-Free Youth, sponsor of the California Red Ribbon Campaign, in cooperation with the National Family Partnership, the national Red Ribbon Campaign Sponsor, offer our citizens the opportunity to conspicuously demonstrate their commitment to lifestyles free of alcohol, tobacco and drugs; and,

**WHEREAS**, the National Red Ribbon Campaign will be celebrated in every community in America during RED RIBBON WEEK, October 23<sup>rd</sup>– 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021; and,

**WHEREAS**, Alvord Unified School District continues to implement drug and alcohol prevention programs and activities that promotes its commitment to healthy lifestyles, including freedom from alcohol, tobacco and drugs; and,

**WHEREAS**, individuals will demonstrate their commitment to an alcohol, tobacco and other drug-free healthy lifestyle by wearing and displaying a red ribbon item during this week-long campaign;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Alvord Unified School District Board of Education proclaims the week of October 23 – 31, 2021, as “Red Ribbon Week” and encourages the District’s schools, students, parents, and community members to support a range of activities that will make a noticeable statement that Alvord Unified School District is firmly committed to a community free of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs, not only during Red Ribbon Week, but all year long.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2021.

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Lizeth Vega, President  
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