

**Yolo County
Board of Supervisors**

Resolution No. 24-21

Proclaiming March 1 – 7, 2024 as Weights & Measures Week in Yolo County

WHEREAS, the Weights and Measures Program of the Yolo County Agriculture/Weights & Measures Department serves to meet the public need of standard weights and measures for the citizens of Yolo County; and

WHEREAS, the employees of the Agriculture/Weights & Measures Department are responsible for ensuring that all weighing, measuring and volumetric devices used in commerce are accurate in design and operation; and

WHEREAS, with growing awareness of consumers' need for accurate measurement, clear labeling of products has become a necessity for anyone trying to make an informed purchasing decision; and

WHEREAS, with an increased need to protect businesses from unfair trade practices, there must be assurance that standards used in manufacturing and commerce accurately reflect national and international standards; and

WHEREAS, this year, the National Conference on Weights & Measures theme is "Staying Relevant"; and

WHEREAS, each year, the first week in March is set aside to commemorate the enactment of our nation's first Weights and Measures Law in March 2, 1799 and to increase public awareness of the importance of this law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Yolo County Board of Supervisors does hereby proclaim March 1 – 7 2022, as Weights and Measures Week in Yolo County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 27th day of February 2024 by the following vote:

AYES: Vixie Sandy, Provenza, Barajas, Villegas, Frerichs.

Lucas Frerichs, Chair
Yolo County Board of Supervisors