



# *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, there are traditionally more than 4,000 registered volunteers a year serving the needs of students in this district (nearly 900 registered during the COVID-19 Pandemic); and

**WHEREAS**, volunteers are an integral part of student learning, play an important role in the education of students and provide a valuable partnership link with our community; and

**WHEREAS**, volunteers inspire success in students while nurturing and challenging them to extend beyond their reach; and

**WHEREAS**, volunteers give patience, kindness and joy to students and make a positive difference in their lives;

**NOW THEREFORE**, we, the members of the Olympia School Board and the Superintendent, do hereby proclaim the week of April 19-23, 2021, as

## ***Public School Volunteer Week***

in the Olympia School District, and we urge all staff, students and citizens of the Olympia School District to join us in this special observance. Signed this 25th day of March, 2021.

**Scott Clifthorne**  
*President, Olympia School Board*

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**Patrick C. Murphy, Ed. D.**  
*Superintendent, Olympia School District*

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