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PRESS RELEASE

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Woodland Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees Pass Emergency Resolution Cancelling Limiting Non-essential Student and Adult Activities

Woodland, Calif., March 12, 2020 – At last night's Board meeting, the Woodland Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees voted to pass Resolution 42-20 which will limit non-essential student and adult activities from March 13 through April 30.

These actions are designed to implement social distancing measures to help fight the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak. The District will implement social distancing strategies recommended by the Yolo County Department of Health and Human Services (YCDHHS) by doing the following:

1. Recommending social distancing strategies be used beginning 9:00 PM on Friday, March 13, 2020 and continuing through April 30, 2020 at 9:00 PM. *This start time will allow for communication with those impacted by this decision.*
2. Cancel trips, events or public gatherings on a case-by-case basis with the exception of those events occurring on WJUSD campuses involving only WJUSD students and where group sizes do not exceed those of a typical classroom at the school.
3. Cancel rental/ use of district facilities by outside agencies or vendors for indoor or outdoor use on a case-by-case basis.
4. Athletic events (practice and games), Jr. and Sr. Prom, and musical performances will continue, however, audience participation shall be significantly reduced.

"The District understands there are many concerns around COVID-19 and wants to ensure families that we are working closely with YCDHHS for updates and guidance," stated Tom Pritchard, WJUSD Superintendent.

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