

## California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) 2023 Southern California Division III Champions

Whereas, Westlake High School was established in 1978 in Westlake Village, California and annually provides service to 2,300 students in the Conejo Valley Unified School District; and

Whereas, On June 3, 2023, the Westlake Warriors Varsity Baseball Team earned the first California Interscholastic Federation Division III Championship, sectional or regional, in Westlake High School history; and

Whereas, The victory was a team effort with players Johnny Bakus, Jesse Beer, Mason Berlinger, Ethan Bolger, Jack Braddell, Mason Charles, Andrew Cusworth, Josh Poyle, Nate Franco, Andrew Habermann, Nate Johnson, Nolan Johnson, Nate Kaczynski, Will Kaczynski, Paul Lizzul, Pillon Marrisett, Mac McKinley, Kirin Nakagawa, Wesley Nanas, Noah Stead, Pylan Volantis, Nate Weiner, and Kaden Youmans and Assistant coaches Scott Radinsky, Matt Goldfield, Paniel Barnett, Aaron Levin, Rick Nathanson, Mike Goldfield, and Mike Miller and Head Coach Wally Barnett; and

Whereas, Team members rallied around each other and played in the memory of classmate Wesley Welling whose untimely death occurred as a result of a tragic accident while waiting at a bus stop near the high school. The team wrote his name on their wrist tape and thought of him throughout their games; and

Whereas, The Warriors played the longest baseball game in Ventura County history playing 19 innings over two days to defeat South Torrence 3-2.

Now, Therefore this Resolution is presented by the Board of Supervisors to the Westlake High School Varsity Baseball Team in recognition of their impressive and inspiring accomplishment.

Presented on this 11th day of July 2023

Chair of the Board of Supervisors

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