

# RESOLUTION

SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

April 24, 2023

## Jane Kim

### *Saddleback College Emeritus Institute Teacher of the Year*

*WHEREAS*, Jane Kim, an associate music history faculty member in the Saddleback College Emeritus Institute since 2002, enhances the well-being of her students with her engaging and encouraging instruction in music appreciation and opera courses; and

*WHEREAS*, Jane Kim's interactive and friendly communication stimulates class participation as she makes each student feel welcome, important, and valued; and

*WHEREAS*, in their nominations, students highlighted how Jane Kim brings "joy to learning" and how "happiness is created" in her class as she lifts spirits by relating music to the physical and mental health of seniors; and

*WHEREAS*, Emeritus Institute students continually return to Jane Kim's classes because of her vast subject knowledge and personable, enthusiastic teaching style, which more than 4,600 students have benefited from over the past two decades; and

*WHEREAS*, Jane Kim creates a diverse, thought-provoking learning environment through her dedication and passion, and establishes genuine connections with her students; therefore

*BE IT RESOLVED* that the Board of Trustees and the Chancellor of the South Orange County Community College District to hereby commend and congratulate Jane Kim as the Saddleback College Outstanding Emeritus Institute Teacher of the Year.

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