

AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 23, 2007

Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 36

Introduced by Senator Yee

April 9, 2007

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 36—Relative to California Community College Music Day.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SCR 36, as amended, Yee. California Community College Music Day.

This measure would designate May 11, 2007, *and each May 11 thereafter*, as California Community College Music Day to recognize the Music Association of California Community Colleges for its commitment to music education.

Fiscal committee: no.

1 WHEREAS, On May 11, 2007, the Music Association of
2 California Community Colleges (MACCC) will celebrate
3 California Community College Music Day, and it is appropriate
4 at this time to draw the attention of the public to this special event;
5 and

6 WHEREAS, Established in the ~~1964-65~~ 1953-54 school year
7 as the California Junior College Music Educators Association, the
8 name was modified after the State of California changed the name
9 of the established Junior College System to the California
10 Community Colleges; and

11 WHEREAS, MACCC is committed to addressing the wide
12 variety of issues unique to California community college music

1 teachers, with its membership including some of the most active
2 and successful community college music teachers in the state; and

3 WHEREAS, MACCC recognizes that the attainment of musical
4 skill is a lifelong endeavor, that the maintenance of these skills
5 requires continuous practice and participation in musical activities,
6 and that the inclusion of experienced, skilled musicians enhances
7 the quality of a performing ensemble; and

8 WHEREAS, The MACCC organization has expanded to feature
9 contests for composition majors and to provide the setting for
10 performances of its conference choir and bands with
11 world-renowned conductors, and it remains committed to working
12 on behalf of the dedicated faculty to meet the needs of the music
13 students who live in their respective communities; and

14 WHEREAS, The teachers who comprise the membership of the
15 Music Association of California Community Colleges provide
16 nurturing, academically motivated programs that build confidence,
17 raise student self-esteem, and provide each student with a belief
18 system that supports the philosophy that all students can learn,
19 achieve, and make good choices; now, therefore, be it

20 *Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly*
21 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature of the State of California
22 applauds the Music Association of California Community Colleges
23 for the concern and commitment it has displayed for the education
24 of its students, ~~and~~ that May 11, 2007, be recognized as California
25 Community College Music Day, *and that each May 11 thereafter*
26 *be recognized as California Community College Music Day*; and
27 be it further

28 *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of
29 this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.