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Sent: Wednesday, July 22, 2020 9:22 PM
To: Ethnic Studies
Cc: Superintendent; [emails redacted]
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Save Arab American Studies in CA

Dear Ethnic Studies of California,

I'm a community college student at Chabot College and I want to say that I'm in support to include Arab American Studies in CA Ethnic Studies Curriculum. I support the ESMC, including Arab American studies. I think ethnic studies is important because it's crucial to remember the past. I don't think is right for scholars who work hard every day of their lives for their voices to be heard and then the system ignores them. I think Arab American scholars should be allowed to speak at the revision process because they all have a voice. I understand that you have many supporters including the National Association of Asian American Studies, Arab American Studies Association, the Third World Liberation Front Veterans. I hope more people step forward and support you. Thank you.

From,
Troy A. Gonzales