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𝔓roclamation

Child Abuse Prevention Month

WHEREAS, every child deserves to grow up in a safe, nurturing environment, free from harm and fear. All children do not receive appropriate care; in fact, too many children become victims at the hands of abusive perpetrators, and it is up to us as a community to tirelessly work to end it through awareness and action. Every responsible person will agree that even one abused child is too many; and

WHEREAS, the month of April has been designated nationally as Child Abuse Prevention Month. At this time, we encourage all City of Brighton citizens to join in renewing our commitment to preventing child abuse and learning what we can do to promote the safety and well-being of children; and

WHEREAS, the City of Brighton has dedicated individuals and organizations who work daily to counter the problem of child abuse and to help parents obtain the assistance they need; and

WHEREAS, our community is stronger when all citizens become aware of child abuse prevention and become involved in supporting parents to raise their children in a safe and nurturing environment; and

WHEREAS, effective child abuse prevention programs, such as CASA of Adams & Broomfield Counties, succeed because of partnerships among families, social service agencies, schools, religious and civic organizations, law enforcement agencies and the business community; and

WHEREAS, all citizens, community agencies, faith organizations and businesses will work to increase their efforts to support families.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Gregory Mills, Mayor of the City of Brighton, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim April 2022 as "Child Abuse Prevention Month."

DATED this 5ᵗʰ day of April, 2022

CITY OF BRIGHTON

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