

RESOLUTION # 2016-21

WHEREAS, child abuse and neglect are recognized as one of our most pressing social problems, affecting many Carroll County children each year; and

WHEREAS, each child has the right to live and grow in a safe, secure, and supportive environment; and

WHEREAS, child abuse has been correlated with drug and alcohol abuse, teen suicide, chronic truancy; and

WHEREAS, many abused children become adult abusers, and the cycle of victimization and violence continues; and

WHEREAS, it takes a community to protect a child, and community action is needed to break the cycle of abuse and improve family life: and

WHEREAS, the Carroll County Commissioners and its Department of Job and Family Services promote the partnership of state, county, and local efforts to work together to prevent child abuse and neglect; and

WHEREAS, April has been designed "Child Abuse Prevention Month" nationwide by the National Center of Child Abuse and Neglect (NCCAN).

NOW THEREFORE, We, Robert Wirkner, Tom White and Jeff Ohler, Commissioners of Carroll County, do hereby designate the month of April as "Child Abuse Prevention Month" throughout Carroll County.

Mr. Ohler moved for the adoption of the preceding Resolution; Mr. White seconded the motion.

Upon call of the roll the vote was recorded as follows:

Mr. Ohler, Yes; Mr. White, Yes; Mr. Wirkner, Yes.

Motion carried on unanimous vote. Resolution adopted this 31 day of March, 2016.

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