



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.
D-3

For the meeting of: August 23, 2016

Date: August 4, 2016
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Rex Bohn
Subject: Child Support Awareness Month Proclamation

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors adopt the Proclamation.

SOURCE OF FUNDING N/A

DISCUSSION: In recognition of Child Support Services and all they do to increase the well-being of children within Humboldt County the Board wishes to proclaim August, 2016 as Child Support Awareness Month in Humboldt County.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Proclamation

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature 

REVIEW: Auditor _____ County Counsel _____ Personnel _____ Risk Manager _____ Other _____

TYPE OF ITEM:
 Consent
 Departmental
 Public Hearing
 Other Special Presentation (5) minutes

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
Upon motion of Supervisor Bohn
Seconded by Supervisor Fennell
And unanimously carried by those members present,
The Board hereby adopts the recommended action
contained in this report.

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No. _____

Meeting of: _____

Dated: Aug. 23, 2016
Ana Hartwell, Deputy Clerk of the Board
By: Ana Hartwell

PROCLAMATION
OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT



WHEREAS, Humboldt County's children need the emotional and financial support of both parents, even when both parents do not reside in the same home; and

WHEREAS, parents can be actively and successfully engaged with their children regardless of marital status; and

WHEREAS, child support is an investment in a child's future, as it increases family self-sufficiency, reduces child poverty, enhances the parent-child relationship, and has a positive effect on children's educational achievement and success as an adult; and

WHEREAS, the health of Humboldt's children will dictate the health of our community over time; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County is committed to promoting the health and well-being of all of its children by ensuring that parents contribute financially toward the raising of their child on a regular and timely basis; and

WHEREAS, despite these efforts, too many children still do not receive the financial, emotional, or physical support of one or both parents; and

WHEREAS, in the last year, the Humboldt County Department of Child Support Services collected and distributed over \$8.5 million in support; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County's Department of Child Support Services employs 42 dedicated staff whose daily work benefits the health of our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors proclaims August, 2016 as "Child Support Awareness Month" in Humboldt County and commends the staff of the Department of Child Support Services for the service they provide to the community.

DATED: August 23, 2016

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Lovelace".

MARK LOVELACE, Chair