



# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 2/3/2026

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Supervisor Natalie Arroyo

**Agenda Section:** Consent

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**SUBJECT:**

Proclamation Recognizing Children's Dental Health Awareness Month

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt the Proclamation.

**STRATEGIC PLAN:**

This action supports the following areas of your Board's Strategic Plan.

Area of Focus: Safe & Healthy Communities

Strategic Plan Category: 1002- Remove barriers to quality healthcare

**DISCUSSION:**

February is recognized nationally as National Children's Dental Health Month, providing an opportunity to raise awareness about the importance of oral health and preventive dental care for children. Tooth decay remains the most common chronic disease among children, despite being largely preventable through proper oral hygiene and regular dental visits. Adoption of this proclamation highlights local oral health challenges, acknowledges the efforts of healthcare providers and reinforces Humboldt County's commitment to improving access to preventive dental services.

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

General Fund

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

There is no financial impact in presenting a proclamation.

**STAFFING IMPACT:**

None

**OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:**

None

**ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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None

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Children's Dental Health Awareness Month Proclamation

**PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:**

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