



City of Munford, Tennessee

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Dwayne Cole, Mayor

Proclamation – Child Abuse Prevention Month

WHEREAS, We need to recognize that child abuse and neglect is a serious and growing problem that changes life's path for nearly 4 million of our nation's children annually; and

WHEREAS, This problem, which has reached epidemic proportions in all regions of our nation, respects no racial, religious, socio-economic, or geographic boundaries, and can prevent children from following the road to a successful future; and

WHEREAS, We need to take steps to educate the public on child abuse and its causes; and

WHEREAS, The Exchange Club - Carl Perkins Center for Prevention of Child Abuse is participating in National Child Abuse Prevention efforts through their awareness campaign with a "It's a Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood to Prevent Child Abuse" theme.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dwayne Cole, Mayor of the City of Munford proclaim that the month of April 2024 shall be observed as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Munford, and urge all citizens to use this time to better understand, recognize, and respond to this grievous problem as the Center helps to strengthen families and prevent abuse.

NOW, WE FURTHER commend the Exchange Club – Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse for its continued success in helping families break free from the cycle of abuse and urge full public support of their successful efforts.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSE THE SEAL OF MUNFORD, TENNESSEE IN TIPTON COUNTY TO BE AFFIXED THIS 5TH DAY OF APRIL 2024.

Dwayne Cole, Mayor

Sherry Yelvington, Recorder