

*A Resolution of the School Board of Volusia County, Florida
Proclaiming April 2019 as "Child Abuse Prevention Month"
for the School District of Volusia County*

KNOW ALL CITIZENS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Volusia County School Board, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereby recognizes the month of April 2019 as Child Abuse Prevention Month.

WHEREAS, Florida's future depends on nurturing the healthy development of our children; and

WHEREAS, the abuse and neglect of children can cause severe, costly and lifelong problems; and

WHEREAS, every child has a right to a safe, healthy and happy childhood where they are educationally and developmentally on track; and

WHEREAS, research shows that parents and caregivers who have support systems and know how to seek help in times of trouble are more resilient and better able to provide safe environments and nurturing experiences for their children; and

WHEREAS, individuals, businesses, schools, and faith-based and community organizations must make children a top priority and take action to support the physical, social, emotional, and educational development and competency of all children; and

WHEREAS, the blue and silver pinwheel stands as a symbol of the health and happiness all children deserve; and

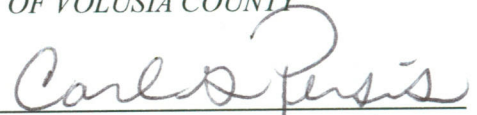
WHEREAS, during the month of April, Prevent Child Abuse Florida, in collaboration with the Governor's Office of Adoption and Child Protection, the Florida Department of Children and Families and the Ounce of Prevention Fund of Florida, will implement Pinwheels for Prevention, a statewide campaign promoting awareness of healthy child development, positive parenting practices, and the types of concrete support families need within their communities;

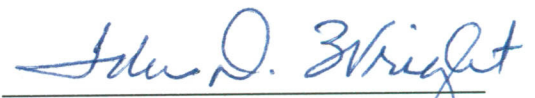
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN OFFICIAL SESSION, DULY ASSEMBLED IN DELAND, FLORIDA, THIS 26th DAY OF MARCH, 2019, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The School Board of Volusia County, Florida, on behalf of all students and personnel does hereby resolve to proclaim the month of April, 2019 as "Child Abuse Prevention Month" for Volusia County Schools; and.


Section 2: That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the School Board of Volusia County, Florida, distributed to all public schools and appropriated governmental bodies in Volusia County, Florida.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 26th DAY OF MARCH 2019
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY

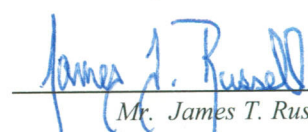

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