



**A RESOLUTION OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE
DELAWARE TRIBE OF INDIANS TO PROCLAIM
AUGUST 2017 AS CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH;
A CELEBRATION OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES**

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RESOLUTION 2017-29

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe of Indians is federally recognized by the Secretary of the Interior of the United States Department of Interior, as evidenced by the Constitution adopted and ratified May 27, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council is authorized by Article V of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Delaware Tribe of Indians to represent and act in all matters that concern the general welfare of the Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council acknowledges the long standing tradition of the Delaware families to prioritize the health and welfare of its children and families; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribal Council desires to promote the stability, safety and happiness of tribal children and families; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Tribe's Department of Family & Children Services provides services and support to tribal families in its service area through programs & activities;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby designate the month of August 2017 as Child Support Awareness Month; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Delaware Tribal Council does hereby proclaim August 2017 as a month long event entitled "A Celebration of Children and Families".

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing was considered by the Delaware Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians and adopted this 18th day of July 2017 with a vote of 7 yes, — no, and — abstaining.


Chet Brooks, Chief


Attested by: Charles Randall, Sec





Proclamation

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians is a federally recognized Indian Tribe and an inherently sovereign Tribe; and

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians has a long and prominent history of supporting its children and families by working to provide quality services and assistance to families in need; and

WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians and its members are fully supportive of local community and family preservation efforts; and

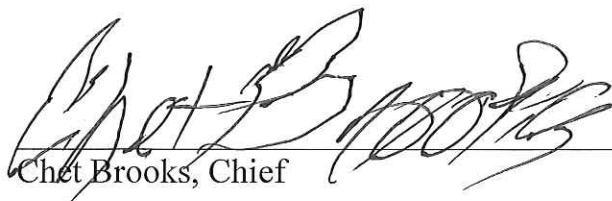
WHEREAS, The Delaware Tribe of Indians is intent on promoting efforts prioritizing the success of the family unit, regardless of its structure, by working to lessen domestic violence, increase parental support of children and encourage protection of our most vulnerable citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE, The Tribal Council of the Delaware Tribe of Indians does hereby designate the month of August 2017 as:

“Child Support Awareness; A Celebration of Children and Families”

within the Delaware Tribe of Indians and surrounding communities and urge the appropriate recognition thereof.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the Delaware Tribe to be affixed on this 18th day of July, 2017.


Chet Brooks, Chief


Charles Randall, Tribal Council

