The Board of County Commissioners, Brown County, Ohio, met in regular session this 3rd day of April 2017 with the following members present. Daryll Gray, President Tony Applegate, Member Barry Woodruff, Member

### IN THE MATTER OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Motion moved by Mr. Applegate to approve the minutes of the previous regular meeting and dispense with the oral reading. Second: Mr. Woodruff.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Woodruff, yea

Mr. Applegate, yea

Mr. Gray, yea

### IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAMATION - APRIL AS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

Motion moved by Mr. Woodruff to adopt the following Proclamation. In attendance: Deanna Vietze, BCBMHAS, Jessica Roush, BCPO, Courtney Adams, BCPO, Amber Malott, YWCA, Erika Yingling, YWCA, Savannah Roy, YWCA, Dawina Cooper, Women Helping Women, Zac Corbin, BCPO, Kristin Ogden, CPS, Sheri Tabor, CPS, Ashley Roy, CPS, Andy Baughy, Leeza Rickey, CPS, Kelsey Eitel, CPS, Mitch Sharp, BCJFS, Erik Riley, CPS, Kelli J. Doss, CPS, Jamee Boyd, CPS, Leslie Reber, CPS, and Brandy Duncan, CPS. Second: Mr. Applegate.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Woodruff, yea

Mr. Applegate, yea

Mr. Gray, yea

# PROCLAMATION APRIL 2017 AS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

**Whereas**, children are vital to our state's future success, prosperity and quality of life as well as being our most vulnerable assets;

Whereas, all children deserve to have safe, stable, nurturing homes and communities they need to foster their healthy growth and development;

Whereas, child abuse and neglect is a community responsibility affecting both the current and future quality of life of a community;

Whereas, communities that provide parents with the social support, knowledge of parenting, child development and concrete resources they will need to cope with stress and nurture their children, to ensure all children grow to their full potential;

Whereas, effective child abuse prevention strategies succeed because of partnerships created among citizens, human services agencies, schools, faith communities, health care providers, civic organizations, law enforcement agencies, elected officials and business communities;

**Now, therefore**, we, the Brown County Board of Commissioners, do hereby proclaim April 2017 as Child Abuse Prevention Month and call upon all citizens to increase their participation, thereby preventing child abuse and strengthening communities in which we live.

## IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAMATION - APRIL IS SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

Motion moved by Mr. Applegate to adopt the following Proclamation. In attendance: Deanna Vietze, BCBMHAS, Jessica Roush, BCPO, Courtney Adams, BCPO, Amber Malott, YWCA, Erika Yingling, YWCA, Savannah Roy, YWCA, Dawina Cooper, Women Helping Women, Zac Corbin, BCPO, Kristin Ogden, CPS, Sheri Tabor, CPS, Ashley Roy, CPS, Andy Baughy, Leeza Rickey, CPS, Kelsey Eitel, CPS, Mitch Sharp, BCJFS, Erik Riley, CPS, Kelli J. Doss, CPS, Jamee Boyd, CPS, Leslie Reber, CPS, and Brandy Duncan, CPS. Second: Mr. Woodruff.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Woodruff, yea

Mr. Applegate, yea

Mr. Gray, yea

## April 2017 is Sexual Assault Awareness Month

Whereas, Sexual Assault Awareness Month is intended to draw attention to the fact that sexual violence is widespread and impacts every community member of Brown County and;

Whereas, child sexual abuse prevention must be a priority to confront the reality that one in six boys and one in four girls will experience a sexual assault before the age 18 (Dube et al., 2005).; and

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Whereas, young people experience heightened rates of sexual violence, and youth ages 12-17 were 2.5 times more likely to be victims of rape or sexual assault (Snyder & Sickmund, 2006).; and

Whereas, we must work together to educate our community about sexual violence prevention, supporting survivors, and speaking out against harmful attitudes and actions; and

Whereas, with leadership, dedication, and encouragement, there is evidence that we can be successful in preventing sexual violence in Brown County increased education, awareness, and community involvement; and

Whereas, we the Brown County Board of Commissioners strongly supports the efforts of national, state, and local partners, and of every citizen, to actively engage in public and private efforts to prevent sexual violence. It's time for all of us to start conversations, take appropriate action and support one another to create a safer environment for all.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that we the Brown County Board of Commissioners, join advocates and communities across the country in playing an active role to prevent sexual violence. Along with the United States Government and State of Ohio, we do hereby proclaim April 2017 as "Sexual Assault Awareness Month!

## IN THE MATTER OF APPROPRIATION CHANGE - DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Motion moved by Mr. Applegate to approve the request of Barb Davis, Director, DPS, for an appropriation change of the following:

Decrease 2300-2001-52125 (Training) in amount of \$3,000 and Increase 2300-2001-52112 (Equipment) in amount of \$3,000

Decrease 2300-2001-51117 (Unemployment) in amount of \$1,000 and Increase 2300-2001-52112 (Equipment) in amount of \$1,000

Decrease 2300-2001-51112 (Part Time) in the amount of \$4,000 and Increase 2300-2001-52112 (Equipment) in the amount of \$4,000

Second: Mr. Gray.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Woodruff, absent Mr. Applegate, yea

Mr. Gray, yea

## IN THE MATTER TO ADJOURN

Motion moved by Mr. Applegate to adjourn this meeting with no further business before the Board this 4th day of April 2017. Second: Mr. Gray.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Woodruff, absent

Mr. Applegate, yea

Mr. Gray, yea

3/31/17

Commissioner, Daryll Gray, attended OVRDC Full Commission Meeting, Fayette County.

4/3/2017

Commissioners met with Jack Rosati, Jr., Bricker & Eckler, and Rebecca Princehorn, Bricker & Eckler, to discuss potential bonds.

Commissioners, Tony Applegate and Daryll Gray, met with Brenda Wehmer, Dinsmore & Shohl, to discuss potential bonds.

Approval: April 5, 2017

Tony Applegate, Member

Sarah Beath, Clerk