

THE PROWERS COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,  
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES,  
HOTLINE COUNTY CONNECTION CENTER AND  
CHILD PROTECTION TEAM

PROCLAMATION  
FOR  
CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

WHEREAS, children are key to the state's future success, prosperity, and quality of life and, while children are our most valuable resource, they are also our most vulnerable; and

WHEREAS, every child is entitled to be loved, cared for, nurtured, feel secure and be free from verbal, sexual, emotional physical abuse and neglect; and

WHEREAS, child abuse and neglect can be prevented by supporting and strengthening Prowers County families, thus preventing the far-reaching effects of maltreatment, providing the opportunity for children to develop healthy, trusting family bonds; and consequently, building the foundations of communities; and

WHEREAS, we must come together as partners so that the voices of our children are heard by all and we are as a community aware of child maltreatment prevention and working to extend a helping hand to children and families in need; and

WHEREAS, by providing a safe and nurturing environment for our children, free of violence, abuse and neglect, we can ensure that children will grow to their full potential as the next generation of leaders, helping to secure the future of this state and nation;

NOW, therefore, we, Prowers County Board of Commissioners, Prowers County Department of Human Services, Hotline County Connection Center and Prowers County Child Protection Team, do hereby proclaim April 2019 as

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

Done this 26<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 2019.

PROWERS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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Chair

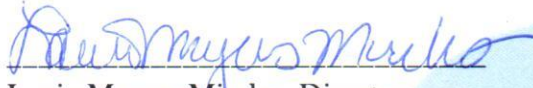
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Vice Chair

Ron Cook  
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Jana Coen, Clerk & Recorder

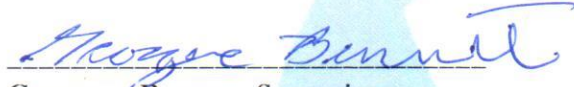
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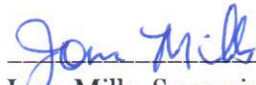
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**PROWERS COUNTY CHILD PROTECTION TEAM**



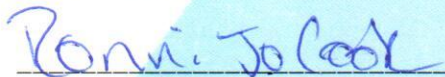
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**HOTLINE COUNTY CONNECTION CENTER**



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