

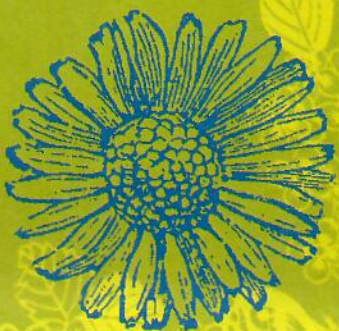
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Proclamation

Week of the Young Child April 10-16, 2021

WHEREAS, Sutter County Children & Families Commission will celebrate the Week of the Young Child, April 10-16, 2021, in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children's 50th Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, there are nearly 7,000 children, birth through age 5, living within Sutter County; and

WHEREAS, Sutter County Children & Families Commission is committed to concentrating on the elimination of persistent inequities and disparities in our community, particularly those impacted by poverty, which undeniably keep children from reaching their greatest potential; and

WHEREAS, high quality early care and education can help alleviate the effects of poverty, detect and remedy delays, identify and help prevent neglect, and lead to positive outcomes, helping children to be better prepared for school and more likely to succeed; and

WHEREAS, participation in quality early care and education saves taxpayer dollars, makes working families more economically secure, and prepares children to succeed in school, earn higher wages, and live healthier lives; and

WHEREAS, over the past twenty years, Sutter County Children & Families Commission has been at the forefront providing early childhood services, advocating for policy change and supporting the professional capacity of providers, serving thousands of families and investing over \$24 million dollars in the local community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, the Sutter County Board of Supervisors, does hereby join colleagues, friends and family as they celebrate the mission of Sutter County Children & Families Commission in proclaiming April as **Month of the Young Child** and its ongoing commitment to stabilize, sustain, and support child care and early learning through the pandemic crisis, recovery, and beyond.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of April 2021.



Dan Flores, Chairman



Donna M. Johnston
Donna M. Johnston, Clerk-Recorder

Attest: