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Proclamation in Recognition of National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

ISSUE AND BACKGROUND:

October is Pregnancy & Infant Loss Awareness Month. President Ronald Reagan declared the month as such in 1988 to honor the unique grief of bereaved parents who suffer such a loss. October 15th has been designated as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day to remember all the pregnancies and infants lost in order to heal and comfort during a time of pain and heartache and to have hope for the future. Mr. Todd DeFeo, Smyrna resident in Ward 6, will accept the Proclamation in remembrance of his son, Thomas.

RECOMMENDATION / REQUESTED ACTION: