

TOWNSHIP OF DARBY

DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION 2019-06

Whereas, good mental health is a key component in a child's healthy development and Children's Mental Health Week provides the opportunity to focus on this important matter, while celebrating the accomplishments of children and families affected by mental health concerns; and

Whereas, one in five children will experience a mental health disorder; and

Whereas, research has shown early identification and appropriate treatment of mental health disorders among children and adolescents provide them better opportunities to lead full and productive lives; and

Whereas, children and youth with mental health challenges and their families benefit from access to timely services and supports that are family-driven, youth guided and culturally appropriate; they also benefit from the integration of behavioral health in primary care, education, and child welfare; and

Whereas, it is important that children and adolescents, along with their families and communities, learn about the warning signs of mental health disorder and where to obtain necessary assistance and treatment; and


Whereas, obtaining a full and accurate diagnosis of a child requires gathering information from diverse sources, including the family, school and others involved with that child; and

Now, Therefore, be it resolved, that the Township of Darby does hereby proclaim May 5-11, 2019 as

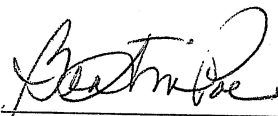
CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK

ORDAINED AND ENACTED into a Resolution and passed by Darby Township's Board of Commissioners on this 8th day of May, 2019.

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BY: 
Richard Womack,
President

ATTEST:


Beatrice Poe,
Secretary