



Office of the Governor
State of Missouri

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Missouri recognizes the unique value and potential in each child; and

WHEREAS, Child Support Awareness Month reminds us that children need the emotional and financial support of parents to reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS, strengthening individuals and families promotes the safety and well-being of children, provides stability, improves the lives of children, and provides opportunities for families to be able to enhance their children's futures; and

WHEREAS, Missouri applauds those parents who support their children and make child support payments consistently to provide security for their children; and

WHEREAS, child support professionals are vital assets to the state, working in cooperation with parents and other partners to ensure families receive quality services; and

WHEREAS, during Child Support Awareness Month, all Missourians are encouraged to look to the future of our state and our children, and to work together with child support professionals to make our children's future stable and bright.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Eric R. Greitens, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim August 2017 to be

CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 25th day of July, 2017.



A handwritten signature of Eric R. Greitens.

Eric R. Greitens
Governor

Attest:

A handwritten signature of Jay Ashcroft.

Jay Ashcroft
Secretary of State