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for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type: PRESENTATION
Meeting Date: January 24, 2023

Item Details

Presenter(s): Jacques K. Gilbert, Mayor

Department(s): Governing Body

Requested Motion

Motion to adopt a proclamation designating the month of January 2023 as Human Trafficking Prevention Month in the Town of Apex.

Approval Recommended?

Yes

Item Details

Each year, the month of January recognizes the importance of knowing about human trafficking. The United States President declared January 2023 Human Trafficking Prevention Month. Additionally, the North Carolina Governor and the Chief Justice have both declared January as Human Trafficking Awareness Month. The purpose of these declarations is both a recognition that human trafficking in the United States and North Carolina exists and to educate our residents about this issue.

Human Trafficking is the recruitment, harboring, transportation, provision, or obtaining of a person through the use of force, fraud, or coercion, for the purpose of forced labor or sexual servitude.

The Town of Apex is committed to bolstering efforts that target bringing an end to human trafficking and raising awareness about realities and needs of survivors.

Attachments

- Proclamation

