

HISTORIC TOWN OF EATONVILLE, FLORIDA TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 5, 2024, AT 7:30 PM

Cover Sheet

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ITEM TITLE: Proclamation Recognizing Problem Gambling Awareness Month

(Administration)

TOWN COUNCIL ACTION:

PROCLAMATIONS, AWARDS, AND PRESENTATIONS	YES	Department: ADMINISTRATION
PUBLIC HEARING 1 ST / 2 ND READING CONSENT AGENDA		Exhibits: • Proclamation: Problem Gambling Awareness Month
COUNCIL DECISION		
ADMINISTRATIVE		

REQUEST: Administration request that Town Council proclaim and recognize Problem Gambling Awareness Month for the month March.

<u>SUMMARY:</u> The National Council on Compulsive Gambling (NCCG), the Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling (FCCG) and the Florida Department of Health Resource Center have designated March 2023 as Problem Gambling Awareness Month (PGAM). Many individuals, professionals and organizations have dedicated their efforts to the education of the public about problem gambling and the availability and effectiveness of treatment due to the public health issue problem gambling. Problem Gambling affects thousands of Floridians of all ages, races, ethnic backgrounds, and has a significant societal and economic cost for individuals, families, businesses, and communities.

<u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> Administration recommends that Town Council proclaim and recognize Problem Gambling Awareness Month for the month March

FISCAL & EFFICIENCY DATA: N/A