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## FREMONT COUNTY

## Department of Human Services

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## **Fremont County Adoption Day Proclamation**

WHEREAS: The County of Fremont recognizes the importance of giving children permanent, safe and loving families through adoption; and

WHEREAS: Colorado is recruiting for 369 children who are free for adoption and Fremont County has 11 children waiting to be adopted; and

WHEREAS: To help these children find permanent, nurturing families, the Fremont County Court will open their doors for National Adoption Day on November 22, 2024 to finalize the adoption of 2 local children and join other organizations to celebrate adoptions; and

WHEREAS: This effort along with similar celebrations in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico will offer children the chance to live with stable and loving families and encourage other dedicated individuals to make a powerful difference in the life of a child through adoption;

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Fremont County Commissioners, by virtue of the authority vested in this Board, do hereby proclaim November 22, 2024, as Adoption Day in Fremont County and in so doing, urge all citizens to join in a national effort to raise awareness about the importance of adoption.

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