

## Fremont County Child Abuse Prevention Awareness Month April 2022

WHEREAS: Child abuse and neglect is a serious problem affecting every segment of our community. Children are key to Fremont County's future success, they are our future leaders, community members and workforce; and

WHEREAS: All children deserve to have the safe, stable, nurturing homes and communities they need to foster their healthy growth and development;

WHEREAS: Child abuse and neglect is a community responsibility affecting both the current and future quality of life of a community. We must come together as partners to keep children safe, ensure that the voices of our children are heard by all, and extend a helping hand to children and families in need.

WHEREAS: Each of us plays a role in the prevention of child abuse and neglect. We encourage anyone concerned about the safety and well-being of any child to report it to the Fremont County Department of Human Services or to 1-844-CO-4-KIDS.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Fremont County Commissioners, by virtue of the authority vested in this Board, do hereby proclaim April 2022, Child Abuse Prevention and Awareness Month and in so doing, urge all citizens to join in a national effort to raise awareness about the importance of preventing child abuse.

Kevin Grantham, District 1 Commissioner

Debbie Bell, District 2 Commissioner

Dwayne McFall, District 3 Commissioner

