

Bismarck

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse North Dakota (PCAND) was founded in 1978 and is dedicated to strengthening families and preventing child abuse and neglect, particularly in North Dakota. PCAND is a 501(c) 3 organization and a chapter of Prevent Child Abuse America; and

WHEREAS, Wear Blue Day (April 5, 2019) is a nation-wide event to create awareness all over the country. Citizens have worn blue as a symbol of the need to prevent child abuse and neglect. Blue is a nationally recognized color for Prevent Child Abuse; and

WHEREAS, Prevent Child Abuse North Dakota's goal is to reduce child abuse and neglect to 0% by co-creating safe and nurturing environments for children; and

WHEREAS, Engaging in Wear Blue Day raises public awareness and prevention advocacy for children across the nation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Steve Bakken, Mayor of the City of Bismarck, do hereby proclaim April 5, 2019 as Wear Blue Day in the City of Bismarck and encourage citizens to participate in Wear Blue Day to create an awareness of child abuse and neglect in North Dakota.

Signed this 26th day of March 2019.



Mayor

Board of City Commissioners
City of Bismarck, ND