

PROCLAMATION

EARLY INTERVENTION MONTH - NOVEMBER 1993

WHEREAS, our children are our most precious resource and represent the future hope for Virginia and the nation; and

WHEREAS, we share, as a community, a responsibility to protect our children, to provide support for their families, to contribute to their physical and emotional well-being, and to ensure that each child has a fair and equal chance to develop to his or her full potential; and

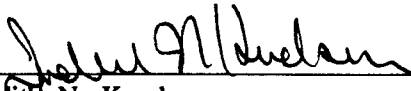
WHEREAS, there are infants and very young children in the County of James City, Virginia, who are experiencing delays in their development due to a variety of conditions and, therefore, early detection and treatment of these conditions is critical to the health and well-being of these children and their families; and

WHEREAS, James City County is fortunate to have within its community, programs that have been established to provide help to children with developmental delays and to their families through early intervention; and

WHEREAS, Child Development Resources, in close collaboration with its colleagues on the Interagency Council for Young Children, has undertaken a program aimed at supporting and encouraging efforts to identify children in need and to provide them and their families with the care and services they need such that they may lead healthy, productive and happy lives; and

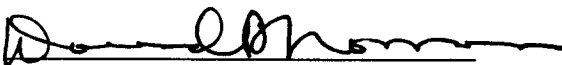
WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Virginia has recognized the importance of services for infants and young children by designating the month of November each year as Early Intervention Month.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, hereby designates November 1993, as EARLY INTERVENTION MONTH in the County of James City in recognition of the importance of early intervention efforts and calls on all citizens of James City County to recognize the significance of early intervention services.



Judith N. Knudson
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:



David B. Norman
Clerk to the Board

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 1st day of November, 1993.

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