



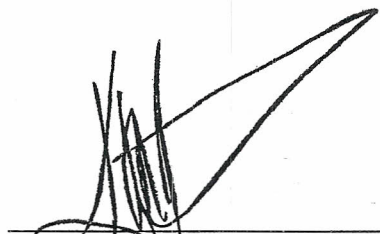
Resolution

Parental Alienation Awareness Day

- W**HEREAS, alienating behaviors are often found in high conflict, divorce and custody situations; and
- W**HEREAS, these alienating behaviors, cannot only destroy the bond between the loving parent and child, but can cause mental and emotional harm to the child; and
- W**HEREAS, parental alienation takes advantage of the suggestibility and dependency of children and deprives children of their right to love and be loved by both parents; and
- W**HEREAS, parental alienation is considered harmful to children as the alienating tactics used on the children are confusing, frightening, and rob children of their sense of security; and
- W**HEREAS, professionals agree that the problem of parental alienation is damaging to children and can affect them into adulthood with tragic consequences; and
- W**HEREAS, there are more than 2.4 million divorced North Americans including the parents of more than one million children under the age of eighteen, with nearly as many unmarried couples with children separating; and
- W**HEREAS, with awareness comes education and understanding, and the power to stop the abuse of innocent children caught in the crossfire of the people they love.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby proclaim April 25, 2011 as Parental Alienation Awareness Day.

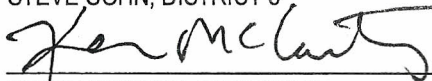
ISSUED: This 25th Day of April 2011.



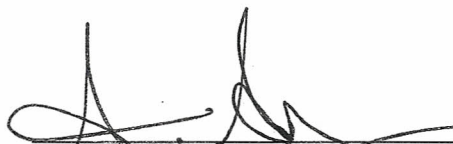
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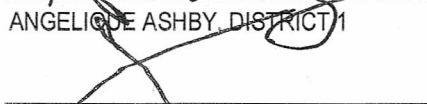
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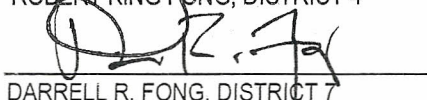
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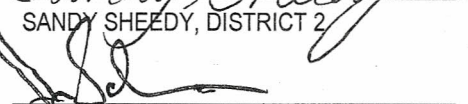
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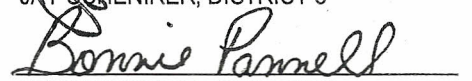
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