National Recovery Month Proclamation #2017 - 17

WHEREAS, behavior health is an essential part of one's overall health and wellness; and

WHEREAS, preventing and treating substance use and/or co-occurring disorders is effective, and people do recover in Franklin County and around this great nation; and

WHEREAS, National Recovery Month is an avenue to provide resources and information about how to prevent substance use, recognize the signs of a substance use disorder, and guide those in need to appropriate treatment and recovery support services; and

WHEREAS, this year's National Recovery Month theme, Join the Voices of Recovery: Strengthen Families and Communities, highlights the importance of families, communities, and individuals sharing their experience, strength, and hope in order to help others; and

WHEREAS, to help more people achieve and sustain long-term recovery, the County of Franklin and Franklin/Fulton Drug & Alcohol invite all Franklin County residents to participate in National Recovery Month;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Commissioners of Franklin County, do hereby proclaim September 2017 as

RECOVERY MONTH

in Franklin County and we urge all people in our county to join us in this special observance!

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hand this 5th day of September, in the year two thousand seventeen.

FRANKLIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

David S. Keller, Chairman

Robert L. Thomas

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