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**Fiscal Note**

No funds required.

**Title**

Proclaiming September 24 - 29, 2006 as "Parental Stress Awareness Week" in the City of Madison.

**Body**

- WHEREAS,** parental stress is a real issue with real consequences and it affects every parent in our community; and
- WHEREAS,** parental stress can be caused by a variety of factors, but commonly by poverty, isolation, trauma, domestic violence or a history of child abuse or neglect; and
- WHEREAS,** some parental stress can lead to child abuse and neglect; and
- WHEREAS,** child abuse and neglect can have serious, long-lasting, negative effects on the growth of children and the health of families, communities and society; and
- WHEREAS,** people can heal from negative experiences with appropriate support and treatment; and
- WHEREAS,** people deserve the opportunity to change failures, struggles and challenges into a growth experience; and
- WHEREAS,** people have responsibility for themselves, their families and their community; and
- WHEREAS,** many forms of parental stress can be alleviated by support, information and education; and
- WHEREAS,** supporting families who are dealing with parental stress can stop the cycle of child abuse and violence.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Mayor of the City of Madison, Wisconsin does hereby proclaim

September 24 - 29, 2006 as

**PARENTAL STRESS AWARENESS WEEK**

in the City of Madison and calls upon the residents of Madison to take an active interest in the issue of parental stress.