

## Proclamation

## Child Support Awareness Month - August 2021

WHEREAS, El Dorado County Child Support Services recognizes that many parents and families have faced multiple obstacles in the past year due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Parents who support their children continued their commitment by providing their children what they need to survive and thrive; and

WHEREAS, El Dorado County Child Support Services thanks their staff and agencies it works with for their extra effort and dedication to having a successful relationship that guarantees a positive impact in the work we do; and

**WHEREAS**, as of June 30, El Dorado County had 5,077 cases open of which 4,288 children were served by our local agency within the current fiscal year; and

**WHEREAS**, El Dorado County Child Support Services distributed \$14,726,864 from July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, of which \$11,916,883 was distributed to families in our community and other states it serves; and

**WHEREAS**, California Child Support Services has made new changes to the state arrears owed program allowing more parents to qualify for the Child Support Debt Reduction Program; and

WHEREAS, El Dorado County Child Support Services has offices in Shingle Springs and South Lake Tahoe to answer questions and assist with establishing and enforcing child support orders.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED**, that the Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado, at their regular meeting held Tuesday, August 10, 2021, does hereby declare August 2021 as Child Support Awareness Month.

**Passed** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at the regular meeting of said Board, held the 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 2021.

## Attest:

Kim Dawson

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, by:

Deputy Clerk

John Hidahl, Chair, Board of Supervisors