

## **Durham County**

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## **Legislation Text**

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Item:

**Proclamation - National Adoption Awareness Month (10min)** 

**Date of BOCC Meeting: November 12, 2019** 

## **Request for Board Action:**

The Board is requested to issue a proclamation recognizing the importance of adoption as a path to permanency for children in foster care in our community.

See attached Proclamation.

<u>Alignment with Strategic Plan:</u> Each year National Adoption Month is celebrated in November to increase the awareness of Durham County citizens of the need for adoptive homes for children in foster care. Goal 3: Secure Community - improving outcome for vulnerable children and youth.

**Resource Persons:** Ben Rose, Director; Jovetta Whitfield, Assistant Director; Sharyn Flood, Program Manager and Janice Williams, Adoption Supervisor.

<u>County Manager's Recommendation</u>: The County Manager recommends that the Board approve the Proclamation declaring November Adoption Awareness Month in Durham County.

County Manager:	