

TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2243.12

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA PROCLAIMING MAY 25, 2012 AS NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, according to the U.S. Department of Justice, in one year there were an estimated nearly 800,000 children missing; and

WHEREAS, on average, there is an estimated average of 2,200 children reported missing to law-enforcement agencies daily; and

WHEREAS, 58,200 of these children are victims of non-family abductions and more than 200,000 are the victims of family abductions; and

WHEREAS, the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children (NCMEC) exists as a resource to help prevent child abduction and sexual exploitation; help find missing children; and assist victims of child abduction and sexual exploitation, their families, and the professionals who serve them; and

WHEREAS, this special day is a time to remember those children who are missing and give hope to their families; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH NCMEC AND ITS COLLABORATIVE ORGANIZATIONS, THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, PROCLAIMS MAY 25 AS NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA URGES THE PARTICIPATION OF

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND COMMUNITIES IN THE PROTECTION AND EDUCATION ABOUT CHILD ABDUCTION AND SEXUAL EXPLOITATION, AND WAYS TO RESPOND AND SEEK HELP FROM LAW ENFORCEMENT, SOCIAL SERVICES, AND NCMEC.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH ENCOURAGES ALL INDIVIDUALS TO TAKE 25 MINUTES TO HELP CHILDREN STAY SAFER.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA THAT MAY 25, 2012 IS SET ASIDE AS NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY AS PART OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH'S CONTINUING EFFORTS TO PREVENT THE ABDUCTION AND SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF CHILDREN.

Section 1. Recitals. The following recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. Adoption in Writing. The Mayor and Town Manager are hereby directed to take all action necessary to have the Town's policies and procedures relating to benefits in written and/or electronic format and to specifically adopt in writing clear policies on family benefits, including domestic partner benefits.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The Motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Rojas,
seconded by Councilman Bernstein and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Glenn Singer	<u>Aye</u>
Vice Mayor Amy Isackson-Rojas	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Bernard Einstein	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Judy Lusskin	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Kenneth Bernstein	<u>Aye</u>

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach,
Florida, this 15th day of May, 2012.

ATTEST:

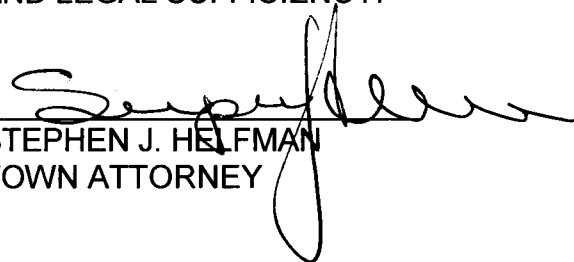


MAYOR GLENN SINGER



LISSETTE PEREZ
INTERIM TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



STEPHEN J. HELFMAN
TOWN ATTORNEY