

**GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 1341.01**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA SUPPORTING THE MISSING ANGELS INITIATIVE AND URGING ALL MIAMI-DADE COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES TO PARTICIPATE IN "NATIONAL MISSING CHILDREN'S DAY"; FURTHER DIRECTING THE TOWN CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE OFFICIALS DESIGNATED HEREIN; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, the Missing Angels, Inc. is an advocacy organization established to help reduce the staggering number of missing children; and

**WHEREAS**, Missing Angels has identified more than 150 children missing in the United States in the past three years; and

**WHEREAS**, a study by the United States Department of Justice indicates that every three minutes two children are reported missing; and

**WHEREAS**, President Ronald Reagan signed a resolution in 1984 declaring May 25<sup>th</sup> of each year as "National Missing Children's Day"; and

**WHEREAS**, since the declaration, the number of missing children has increased; and

**WHEREAS**, Missing Angels held its first annual Missing Children's Day at Bayfront Park, Miami, Florida, on May 25, 2001, to celebrate this important day and bring about awareness and educate the public as to the reality of missing children in this country; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Golden Beach is dedicated to the protection of the children of the community and wishes to support the Missing Angels initiative;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

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**Section 1.** The Missing Angels initiative is supported and all Miami-Dade County municipalities are urged to participate in "National Missing Children's Day".

**Section 2.** The Town Clerk is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Mayor Addicott, all members of the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach, and the Mayors of each of the municipalities of Miami-Dade County.

**Section 3. Severability.** That the provisions of this Resolution are declared to be severable and if any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, clauses, sentences and phrases of this Resolution but they shall remain in effect, notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.

**Section 4. Conflict.** That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon approval of the Town Council.

**Sponsored by Administration.**

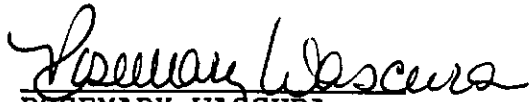
The Motion to adopt the foregoing resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Singer seconded by Councilmember Feinman and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Addicott:	<u>Absent</u>
Vice Mayor Singer	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Feinman	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Einstein	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Paruas	<u>Aye</u>

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach this 21st day of August, 2001.

  
MAYOR MICHAEL ADDICOTT

ATTEST:

  
ROSEMARY WASCURA  
INTERIM TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

  
EDWARD PAUL KREILING  
TOWN ATTORNEY