## **RESOLUTION**

## A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 2000 AS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION MONTH

WHEREAS, more than 111,000 cases of child abuse and neglect were	reported in Texas in 1998
and	
WHEREAS 143 Texas children died of abuse and neglect in 1999.	

WHEREAS' every child is entitled to be loved for, nurtured, and secure; and

WHEREAS, preventing child abuse is the responsibility of all citizens; and

WHEREAS, community action is needed to help families break the cycle of abuse.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Tatum, Texas proclaims April 2000 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Tatum, Texas.

PASSED THE 11<sup>th</sup> Day of April, 2000.

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Bob Harris, Mayor	
ATTEST:	
Helen Polston, City Secretary	