

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, December 1, 2000 marks the one-year anniversary of the inception of Wyoming Kid Care, also known as the Children's Health Insurance Program, and

WHEREAS, children with healthcare coverage are more likely to get regular check-ups, immunizations and prompt treatment for illness and injury and are less likely to miss school than uninsured children, and

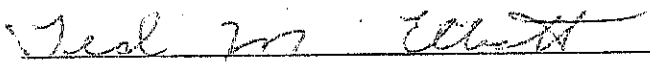
WHEREAS, 110 Weston County children and teens have obtained healthcare coverage under the Wyoming Kid Care program during the last year, and

WHEREAS, Weston County is one of seven Wyoming Covering Kids Pilot Project sites dedicated to finding and enrolling uninsured children in available programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, The Weston County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim December 1-31, 2000 as

**WYOMING KID CARE MONTH**

in our community and urge all citizens to make an effort to provide opportunities for the dissemination of information regarding available healthcare plans and to join the State of Wyoming in its goal of providing free or low-cost healthcare coverage to all eligible children.

  
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