

National Injury Prevention Day 2022
Proclamation

that November 18 is National Injury Prevention Day in Pottawatomie County

WHEREAS, injuries are the leading cause of death and disability to U.S. children ages 1 to 18; and

WHEREAS, Kansas and Pottawatomie County childhood injuries top four causes are motor vehicle/traffic accident, suffocation, drowning, and poisoning.

WHEREAS, the county of Pottawatomie is committed to creating a safe environment contributing to the safety and well-being of our children; and

WHEREAS, hospitals, state agencies and community organizations are committed to their crucial role in reducing injuries and deaths by promoting safe practices; and


WHEREAS, National Injury Prevention Day raises awareness and promotes efforts to reduce injuries among children; the County of Pottawatomie commends Safe Kids Pottawatomie County and all community members involved in their endeavor to protect children from injury;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, Pottawatomie County Commissioner's, do hereby proclaim November 18 as

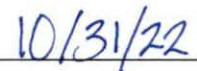
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and call upon the residents of Pottawatomie County to join with me in this observation by shining a green light, and wearing green to help light the way toward injury prevention in all communities.

Pottawatomie County Commissioner Chairmen:



Dennis Pat Weixelman



Date

Attested by Pottawatomie County Clerk





Dawn Henry