



RESOLUTION

Declaring April 2 to April 8, 2022 as the Week of the Young Child

The Hanover Township Board of Trustees does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, the early childhood collaboration, Elgin Partnership for Early Learning, also known as EPEL, and other community organizations that serve the 12,046 children ages nine and under and their families in Hanover Township, in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children, are celebrating April 2 to April 8, 2022 as the Week of the Young Child; and

WHEREAS, these organizations are working to improve equitable early learning opportunities in the first 2,000 days of a child's life, which is a critical time when 90% of brain growth occurs in young children; and

WHEREAS, investments in babies and young children have profound impacts on creating a strong and vibrant community; and

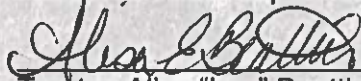
WHEREAS, public policies that support early learning for all young children are crucial to the future of Hanover Township's young children, families, and the community as a whole; and

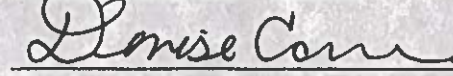
WHEREAS, it is our collective responsibility to recommit ourselves to ensuring that each and every child experiences the type of early environment—at home, at child care, at school, and in the community—that will promote their early learning.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Hanover Township Board of Trustees, Cook County, Illinois, that April 2 to April 8, 2022 is declared as the Week of the Young Child in Hanover Township.

Dated: March 22, 2022


In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto to set our hands and caused the seal of Hanover Township to be affixed hereto.


Trustee Alisa "Lee" Beattie


Trustee Denise Camacho


Trustee Craig Essick


Trustee Eugene N. Martinez


Supervisor Brian P. McGuire


Clerk Katy Dolan Baumer

