

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MARCH AS READING MONTH IN
WASHTENAW COUNTY

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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WHEREAS, reading to babies promotes optimal development; and

WHEREAS, children who are read to regularly become book lovers; and

WHEREAS, books not only expand the child's world but usually leads to success in school and life; and

WHEREAS, the most important thing parents can do is read to their children' and

WHEREAS, a priority of the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners is children's well-being; and

WHEREAS, developing a child's awareness of reading, enhancing their reading skills and encouraging their interest in reading promotes an investment to the younger residents of our community

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaims March as Reading Month throughout Washtenaw County and encourages the citizens of Washtenaw County to take a moment and read or listen to a child read

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners hereby directs the County Clerk to forward copies of this resolution to all local schools within Washtenaw County, Washtenaw Intermediate School District, and all libraries within Washtenaw County.