## Office of the Mayor



## Proclamation

Whereas, child abuse and neglect is a complex and continuing problem in our society, affecting over three million children annually nationwide; and

Whereas, there is no test of a society more important than the status and treatment of its children; and

Whereas, The Child Protection Center works to prevent child abuse and to protect and treat children affected by child abuse, with the hope of creating a community in which every child is free and safe from child abuse.

**Now, Therefore**, I, Ron Feinsod, Mayor of the City of Venice, Florida, on behalf of the Venice City Council do hereby proclaim April 2021 as

## Child Abuse Prevention Month

in the City of Venice and urge all citizens to be aware of and involved with the local and national programs which provide on-going protection of our children.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Venice to be affixed this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2021.

Ron Feinsod, Mayor