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Title: NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare April 2008 to be "CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH" in the city of Pittsburgh.

Sponsors: Bruce A. Kraus, All Members

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WHEREAS, every child is precious and deserves to grow up in a healthy, safe, nurturing environment and without the harmful effects of child abuse and neglect; and

WHEREAS, child abuse is a widespread social problem that can only be prevented through education, support and involvement of the entire community; and

WHEREAS, effective child abuse prevention programs succeed because of partnerships amongst social service agencies, schools, religious and civic organizations, law enforcement, government and the business community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize and commend the following Crime Prevention Officers for their efforts to protect children:

Officer Forrest Hodges	Officer Janine Davis	Officer Christine Luffey
Officer William M. White	Officer Mike Gay	Officer Ken Stevwing

And the following Youth Education Programs Officers for their efforts to protect children:

Officer Gary Rupert	Officer Kathy Curges	Officer James Brewer
Officer Chris Johnson	Officer Joe Seskey	Officer Dwayne Ausbrooks

And the following Detectives for their efforts to protect children:

Sgt. Shirley Epperson	Det. Greg Boss	Det. Denise Demarco
Det. Richard Fox	Det. Joseph Simunovic	Det. Heather Bristow
Det. Tamara Hawthorne	Det. Sylvester Wright	Det. Rebecca Meder
Det. Georgene Schanck	Det. Tracy Clinton	Det. April-Noelle Campbell
Det. Susan Kasley	Det. Michael Veith	

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