

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 459

Introduced by Howard, 9.

WHEREAS, National Adoption Month is a time to celebrate family and to bring about awareness that there are hundreds of thousands of adoptive children; and

WHEREAS, every child deserves a loving, nurturing, and permanent home; and

WHEREAS, adoption gives children a brighter future, brings great joy to the adoptive parents, and places fewer demands on social services; and

WHEREAS, adoptive children often need extra patience and support to help them overcome previous hardships; and

WHEREAS, children waiting for adoptive parents and families who have adopted these children require and deserve community and public support.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes November 2012 as Adoption Month in Nebraska.

2. That during the month of November communities are encouraged to participate in activities designed to increase public awareness of adoption.