

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Meeting Date: November 16, 2011 Division: MAYOR/BOCC 3  
Bulk Item: Yes  No  Department: Heather Carruthers\_Dist 3  
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**AGENDA ITEM WORDING:**

Presentation of Mayor's Proclamation declaring November 13-19, 2011 as TAKE STOCK in CHILDREN week in Monroe County.

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**ITEM BACKGROUND:**

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**PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION:**

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**CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES:**

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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**TOTAL COST:**0 **INDIRECT COST:** 0 **BUDGETED:** Yes  No

**DIFFERENTIAL OF LOCAL PREFERENCE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COST TO COUNTY:** 0 **SOURCE OF FUNDS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REVENUE PRODUCING:** Yes  No  **AMOUNT PER MONTH** \_\_\_\_\_ **Year** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPROVED BY:** County Atty  OMB/Purchasing  Risk Management

**DOCUMENTATION:** Included  Not Required

**DISPOSITION:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**MAYOR'S  
PROCLAMATION**

**TAKE STOCK IN CHILDREN WEEK**

**November 13, 2011 – Nov 19, 2011**

*WHEREAS*, the Take Stock in Children program is celebrating twelve years in Monroe County Schools; and

*WHEREAS*, fifty-three (53) additional Monroe County students are beginning the Take Stock in Children program this week; and

*WHEREAS*, with these new enrollments, Take Stock in Children will attain a new record of two-hundred thirty-nine (239) students—each with an individual, volunteer mentor – in Monroe County middle and high schools: and

*WHEREAS*, with the three hundred fifty-six (356) students from Monroe County currently attending college or already graduated with a bachelor's degree, Take Stock in Children celebrates its 12<sup>th</sup> year in the Florida Keys and has provided four-year, fully paid college scholarships to a total of five hundred ninety-five (595) students from low-income families who have the desire, motivation, and potential to attend and graduate from college; and

*WHEREAS*, the Mayor and Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida are proud to recognize these achievements, and thank the mentors and donors who have set these new records;

*NOW THEREFORE*, be it resolved that Heather Carruthers, Mayor of Monroe County, proclaims November 13, 2011 – November 19, 2011 as

**TAKE STOCK IN CHILDREN WEEK**

in Monroe County, Florida and congratulates all those who have supported, mentored or been a recipient of the Take Stock in Children program and encourages others to participate by becoming a mentor.

WITNESS my hand and seal of Monroe County, Florida, this 16th day of November 2011.

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Heather Carruthers, Mayor