

PROCLAMATION

Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month

WHEREAS, Parkinson's Disease is a progressive disorder of the central nervous system affecting more than one and one half million people in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the American Parkinson's Disease Association, Inc., founded in 1961, has sought to ease the burden and find the cure for this disease through research, patient and family services, education, and sponsorship of 53 Chapters, 62 Information and referral Centers, and nearly 1,000 support groups throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, the World, the Nation, and the County of Warren observe Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month during April 2010; and

WHEREAS, the County of Warren recognizes the efforts of the Warren Parkinson's Disease Support Group to promote awareness to fight Parkinson's Disease, thereby improving the quality of life for those living with the disease.

NOW, THEREFORE, We the Commissioners of Warren County, in honor of those who work with the American Parkinson's Disease Association Inc. and their value to our residents do hereby proclaim April 2010 to be Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month in the County of Warren.

ADOPTED, this 24th day of March, 2010.

COMMISSIONERS OF WARREN COUNTY

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Chairman

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Vice Chairman

Attest:

Pamela J. Matve
Chief Clerk

John R. Bortz, Jr.
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