

## UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

RESOLUTION: 20/8-38/

APRIL 19, 2018

CHAIRMAN GRANADOS, ENTIRE BOARD

WHEREAS, the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders wishes to support and extend its deep appreciation to Sandy Hook Promise; and

WHEREAS, Sandy Hook Promise is an apolitical non-profit organization whose "Know The Signs" programs are researched based programs and practices to help protect children from gun violence in their homes, school, and communities. This program is led by several family members who lost loves ones at the Sandy Hook Elementary School on December 14, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Sandy Hook Promise's programs have trained over 2.5 million students and helped stop multiple school shootings, prevented youth suicides, and reduced bullying and other violence in schools across the country. These prevention programs have helped prevent gun violence before it happens by teaching adults and youth how to recognize the signs and signals of individuals who may be at risk of hurting themselves or others; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness and educating others is an important factor when protecting others from gun violence. Sandy Hook Promise continues to "make the promise" to protect children from gun violence by speaking engagements, media, community round tables, and remembrance events:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders hereby supports Sandy Hook Promise; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution, suitably prepared, be presented to Sandy Hook Promise as a sincere token of this Board's support and deep appreciation. Signed and sealed April 24, 2018.

Approved as to Form: Certifying as to an Original Resolution: Certified as to a True Copy: J. Janes

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