

City of: _____

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Utah PTA is among the largest volunteer organizations in Utah whose sole purpose is to advocate, serve, and safeguard children and families; and

WHEREAS, for over 100 years the PTA has addressed the needs of children through a network of dedicated membership comprised of parents, educators, and caring citizens who volunteer their time and expertise to ensure a better world for children; and

WHEREAS, Utah PTA's theme for 2007–2009 is "Light the Way" and Utah PTA's volunteers will "**Light the Way**" by their examples of strong involvement, leadership, and dedication that will better the lives of the children of Utah and leave a strong legacy for all to follow; and

WHEREAS, the Parent's vision is for every child to enjoy safety, well-being, and to receive a quality education, and the Teacher's vision is for every child to have an advocate and his individual needs met; and

WHEREAS, the strength of Utah PTA is in the advocacy of its 138,000 members, united, speaking and standing as a **beacon of light** for *Every Child. One Voice*; and

WHEREAS, Utah PTA's vision for the education of Utah's children and youth centers upon the fundamental principle of positive parental family involvement, where each child has a guiding **light** to follow,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that September is hereby proclaimed Utah PTA **Membership Enrollment Month** in the State of Utah to encourage and invite students, parents, families, educators, and citizens to "**Light The Way**" for every child and renew their commitment to children and youth by joining their local PTA/PTSA.

Signed by _____ this the _____ day of _____.

