

By Senator Garcia

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Senate Resolution

A resolution recognizing March 2015 as "A Safe Haven for Newborns Month" in Florida.

WHEREAS, tragic cases of infant abandonment have occurred in Florida and across the nation, and

WHEREAS, A Safe Haven for Newborns provides a safe and legal alternative to the parents of newborns who might otherwise be at risk of abandonment, and

WHEREAS, A Safe Haven for Newborns provides the opportunity for other Florida couples to fulfill their dream of being parents by opening the door to adoption, and

WHEREAS, in creating A Safe Haven for Newborns, the Gloria M. Silverio Foundation has provided invaluable services to Florida families and vital leadership in the effort to end the practice of newborn abandonment, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That March 2015 is recognized as "A Safe Haven for Newborns Month" in Florida.