**Proclamation**
**Home Visiting Day: April 18, 2025**

***WHEREAS****, Los Angeles County has the largest early childhood home visiting network in the nation, and the City of [city name here] is proud to be part of that; and*

***WHEREAS****, home visiting models — including Black Infant Health, Early Head Start, Healthy Families America, Nurse-Family Partnership, Parents as Teachers, Partnerships for Families, Raising Baby, and Welcome Baby — provide free services to over 36,000 families in Los Angeles County each year; and*

***WHEREAS****, home visiting services are proven to: increase optimal birth outcomes, promote health equity, strengthen parent/child relationships, support trauma-informed care, and contribute to healthy infant/child development; and*

***WHEREAS****, community-based organizations, hospitals, and public health agencies that offer home visiting services are committed to uplifting communities facing economic hardship and/or social marginalization; and*

***WHEREAS****, the L.A. County Perinatal and Early Childhood Home Visitation Consortium offers free resources and tools at* [*HomeVisitingDay.org*](https://homevisitingday.org) *to recognize home visitors and the families they serve; and*

***WHEREAS****, Home Visiting Day in L.A. County is officially proclaimed each year by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors …*

***THEREFORE****; I, [Mayor Name], Mayor of the City of [City Name] do hereby proclaim* ***Friday, April 18, 2025*** *as:*

 **HOME VISITING DAY IN [CITY NAME]**

*and urge all residents to observe this day with activities that celebrate the power of home visiting.* *I also encourage pregnant residents and families to find free home visiting services at* [*eDirectory.HomeVisitingLA.org*](https://edirectory.homevisitingla.org/)*.*

***IN WITNESS WHEREOF****, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of [City Name] to be affixed this 18th day of April, 2025.*

 ***Mayor Name***

 *Mayor, City of [City Name]*