

THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF
MONTGOMERY COUNTY
MARYLAND

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the United States has recently marked "National Crime Victims' Rights Week," which highlighted the effects of crime on American families and the stake that those families have in making their voices heard in the criminal justice system and beyond; and

WHEREAS, the group "Remembering the True Victims" was formed to raise public awareness of the effects of crime; and

WHEREAS, Remembering the True Victims pursues its goals through training classes held in local, state, and federal penal institutions where RTTV helps offenders come to terms with the impact their crimes have had on society; and

WHEREAS, RTTV also reaches out to law enforcement officers, most especially new recruits, to foster a more profound understanding of the broad impact that crime has on families and the civic fabric; and

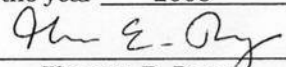
WHEREAS Remembering the True Victims has been honored for its hands-on, grassroots approach to touching both the heart and the head.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Montgomery County Council congratulates

Remembering the True Victims, Inc.

for its valuable work and wishes them all success in their future endeavors.

Presented on this 21st day of June in the year 2005.



Thomas E. Perez
Council President

