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THIRD READING

Bill No: SCR 104

Author: Valladares (R), et al.

Introduced: 8/19/25

Vote: 21

SUBJECT: National Domestic Violence Awareness Month

SOURCE: Author

DIGEST: This resolution proclaims the month of October 2025, and each following October, as National Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

ANALYSIS: This resolution makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Domestic violence affects people of all genders, sexual orientations, and ages and all racial, ethnic, cultural, social, religious, and economic groups in the United States and here in California.
- 2) There is a need to provide education, awareness, and understanding of domestic violence and its causes. There is a need to support and amplify prevention programs and community-based strategies to create healthy environments and decrease the likelihood of perpetration, thereby stopping domestic violence from occurring in the first place.
- 3) Children exposed to domestic violence can experience long-term consequences, including difficulty at school, substance abuse, behavioral problems in adolescence, and serious adult health problems.
- 4) All communities deserve access to culturally responsive prevention programs and initiatives to improve overall community health and safety by challenging the societal norms that perpetuate violence.

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Related/Prior Legislation

SCR 170 (Rubio, 2024) this resolution was held in committee.

SCR 90 (Rubio, Resolution Chapter 11, Statutes of 2024).

SR 120 (Rubio, 2024) Adopted in Senate.

SCR 118 (Ochoa Bogh and Rubio, Resolution Chapter 153, Statutes of 2022).

SCR 54 (Ochoa Bogh and Rubio, Resolution Chapter 127, Statutes of 2021).

FISCAL EFFECT: Appropriation: No Fiscal Com.: No Local: No

SUPPORT: (Verified 08/26/25)

None received

OPPOSITION: (Verified 08/26/25)

None received

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