TAKE YOUR DAUGHTERS AND SONS TO WORK DAY

WHEREAS, on April 22nd, the Florida workforce will look different for a day as millions of young girls and boys accompany their parents to the workplace; and

WHEREAS, it is crucial that adults join together to empower young people with the confidence, strength of purpose, and vision needed to succeed in the workplace, and to negotiate the pitfalls that often stand in the way of success; and

WHEREAS, Take Your Daughters and Sons to Work Day, established in 1993, in an effort to help young girls realize their full potential in the work environment and have access to mentoring, education, and a wide range of experiences to instill the confidence necessary to acquire the skills and attitudes to enter and compete in today's workplace; and

WHEREAS, Take Your Daughters and Sons to Work Day has become an avenue to help girls and boys become more comfortable in the workplace and more aware of the many opportunities available to them, thereby stimulating their imagination and encouraging their hopes and dreams;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Charlie Crist, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing April 22, 2010 as Take Your Daughters and Sons to Work Day.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capitol, this 5th day of April, in the year two thousand ten.

Governor