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Victims United and Butler County Children Services Commemorate National Children's Memorial Day

Hamilton, Ohio (December 5, 2007) Representatives of Children Services will join Madge Burton, President of Victims United in an annual ceremony to honor all Butler County children who have died this year. In recognition of National Children's Memorial Day, each year Victims United hangs a new angel ornament on the Angel Tree located in the lobby of the Government Services Center in downtown Hamilton Ohio.

"We have been remembering and honoring our community's children this way for twelve years," said Burton. Butler County and Victims United began this tradition in 1995. The Angel Tree has been displayed in the lobby each year to honor our deceased children and a new angel is added each year to remember and honor deceased children.

National Children's Memorial Day is the second Sunday in December. A national day of remembrance traditionally recognized with candlelight vigils or angel ornaments. "Each angel on the tree represents a child from our community who is no longer with us," said Burton.

The commemorative angel will be added to the tree at 2 p.m. tomorrow, December 6, in the lobby of the Government Services Center, 315 High Street, Hamilton, Ohio 45011.