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## Floridians,

In honor of September as National College Savings Month, I want to highlight just how important it is to start saving now for your child's future. By adding college savings into your family's financial plan through Florida Prepaid, you can lock in future college costs for less and save.

A college degree is a major investment and with the student loan debt crisis reaching an estimated \$1.5 trillion nationwide, pre-planning for the cost of college is not only vital to your students' academic success, but future financial success as well.

For over 30 years, Florida Prepaid has helped more



than 1 million families save for college. New <u>lower fees and free enrollment</u> until October 13 will help save you money on your path to affordable college savings. You can take advantage of these savings by using promo code **DREAMBIG19**. Prepaid plans cover the cost of tuition and most fees, and allow families to lock in future college costs for less. The Florida 529 Savings Plan allows families to save what you can, when you can, toward college.

I encourage all Floridians to consider Florida Prepaid today and to research your options at **<u>MyFloridaPrepaid.com</u>**. *It's never too early or too late to start saving for your child's future*.

Sincerely,

Jimmy Patronis Chief Financial Officer State of Florida



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