



Proclamation Resolution

October 2017 is proclaimed as

Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Whereas, the community problem of domestic violence has become a critical public health and welfare concern in Anoka County; and

Whereas, domestic violence is a crime, the commission of which will not be tolerated in Anoka County and perpetrators of said crime are subject to prosecution and conviction in accordance with the law; and

Whereas, over thousands of women, men and children have and will continue to access assistance from Alexandra House, Inc., a domestic violence service provider; and

Whereas, domestic violence will be eliminated through community partnerships of concerned individuals and organizations working together to prevent abuse while at the same time effecting social and legal change; and

Whereas, October is ***National Domestic Violence Awareness Month***; and

Whereas, during ***National Domestic Violence Awareness Month***, Anoka County organizations will inform area residents about domestic violence, its prevalence, consequences and what we, as a concerned community can do to eliminate its existence.

Now therefore, be it resolved and known to all, that the City of Ramsey proclaims October to be Domestic Violence Awareness Month on this the 26th day of September, 2017.

Mayor Sarah Strommen

ATTEST:

City Clerk Jo Thieling