



**Proclamation Resolution**  
*October of 2020 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2020.

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Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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City Clerk