



MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 2021 AS BLACK HISTORY MONTH IN THE CITY OF RAMSEY

WHEREAS, President Gerald R. Ford officially recognized Black History Month in 1976, calling upon the public to “seize the opportunity to honor the too-often neglected;” and

WHEREAS, since 1976, every President has adopted the month of February as Black History Month to celebrate African American achievements and roles in U.S. History; and

WHEREAS, Black History Month is a time to reflect on, understand and appreciate African-American culture, as well as to celebrate the extraordinary achievements and contributions made by members of the African-American community to the social, artistic, cultural, political, economic, spiritual and national advancement in the United States; and

WHEREAS, we honor the prominent leaders and activists who have paved the way for equality and justice, and we recognize the notable contributions of Black citizens in the history of our community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Mark E. Kuzma, do hereby proclaim the month of February 2021, as BLACK HISTORY MONTH in the City of Ramsey.

Whereupon said proclamation is announced this 8th day of February, 2021.

Mayor Mark E. Kuzma