



# *Proclamation*

OFFICE OF THE  
MAYOR  
CITY OF SAN LUIS

## **Breast Cancer Awareness Month October 2020**

**WHEREAS**, breast cancer is the second most commonly diagnosed form of cancer for women in the United States and remains the second leading cause of cancer death among American women; and

**WHEREAS**, mammography, an “x-ray of the breast,” is recognized as the single most effective method of detecting breast changes long before physical symptoms can be seen or felt. Early detection and improved treatment is believed to have significantly reduced the number of deaths caused by breast cancer; and

**WHEREAS**, researchers, scientists, and numerous nonprofit organizations are dedicated to discovering the cure for breast cancer. During the month of October, we acknowledge the extraordinary commitment and effort invested in this cause; and

**WHEREAS**, we recognize that over two and a half million Americans are breast cancer survivors that give us hope of a better future.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I Gerardo Sanchez, Mayor of the City of San Luis, hereby proclaim the month of October 2020 to be Breast Cancer Awareness Month in the City of San Luis and encourage all residents of this city to support the education, prevention, and treatment efforts of those fighting this disease.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

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Gerardo Sanchez, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Sonia Cornelio, City Clerk