

Proclamation
The City of
Stillwater
OKLAHOMA

WHEREAS, the City of Stillwater encourages positive action on the part of the community by supporting Domestic Violence Awareness Month; and,

WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month is designed to support victims of domestic violence in their time of greatest need; and,

WHEREAS, approximately three American women each day lose their lives as a result of Domestic Violence; and,

WHEREAS, unhealthy relationships can have a lifelong negative impact on personal health; and,

WHEREAS, we can break the cycle of Domestic Violence before it starts by equipping families with skills for healthy relationships; and,

WHEREAS, parents, community leaders, civic organizations, and schools are an integral part of providing safe, healthy, and positive support system for survivors; and,

WHEREAS, assisting survivors is not just an investment in their future, it's an investment in Stillwater, Oklahoma for generations to come.

THEREFORE, we recognize the need to honor and support Domestic Violence survivors in Stillwater, Oklahoma and hereby declare October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.



ATTEST:

WILLIAM H. JOYCE, MAYOR

TERESA KADAVY, CITY CLERK