

Board of Supervisors
County of Prince George, Virginia

Resolution

At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Prince George held in the Boardroom, Third Floor, County Administration Building, 6602 Courts Drive, Prince George, Virginia this 10th day of October, 2017:

Present:

Vote:

William A. Robertson, Jr., Chairman
Donald R. Hunter, Vice-Chairman
Alan R. Carmichael
Hugh G. Mumford
T. J. Webb

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On motion of _____, seconded by _____, which carried unanimously, the following Resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION; PROCLAMATION DECLARING OCTOBER AS
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, domestic violence is widespread and affects millions of Americans each year; and

WHEREAS, children who grow up in violent homes are abused and neglected at a rate higher than the national average; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence costs the nation billions of dollars annually in medical expenses, police and court costs, shelters, foster care, sick leave, absenteeism, and non-productivity; and

WHEREAS, only a coordinated community effort will put a stop to this crime; and

WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to learn more about preventing domestic violence and to show support for James House, the accredited, non-profit crisis center that provides cost-free, confidential support, advocacy, and education for people in Prince George County affected by domestic violence,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Prince George County proclaim the month of October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and urge the citizens of Prince George to work together to eliminate domestic violence from our community.

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Percy C. Ashcraft
County Administrator