City of Carroll

Proclamation

National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

WHEREAS, Breast cancer touches the lives of Americans from every background and in every community across our Nation. Though we have made great strides in combatting this devastating illness, more than 200,000 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year and tens of thousands are expected to lose their lives to the disease. During National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, we honor those we have lost, lend our strength to those who carry on the fight, and pledge to educate ourselves and our loved ones about this tragic disease. I encourage women and men to speak with their health care provider about breast cancer, and to visit www.Cancer.gov to learn more about symptoms, diagnosis, and treatment.

WHEREAS, The Carroll County Breast Cancer Support Group, American Cancer Society and many other groups stand with everyone who has been affected by breast cancer, and we recognize the ongoing efforts of dedicated advocates, researchers, and health care providers who strive each day to defeat this terrible disease. In memory of the loved ones we have lost and inspired by the resilience of those living with the disease, let us strengthen our resolve toward a future free from cancer in all its forms.

NOW, THEREFORE ,I, Eric P. Jensen, Mayor of Carroll, do hereby proclaim October 2018 as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. I encourage citizens, government agencies, private businesses, nonprofit organizations and all other interested groups to join in activities that will increase awareness of what Americans can do to prevent breast cancer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and cause the Seal of the City of Carroll to be affixed this the 3rd day of October, 2018.

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Eric P. Jensen, Mayor