



# Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** The Rape Crisis Center has provided comfort and support to sexual assault victims in this community for 43 years; facilitating awareness and education while offering high-quality assistance to those in need; and,

**WHEREAS,** The Rape Crisis Center provides 24-hour support to sexual assault victims and their families through direct services, prevention education and professional training to all citizens of the City of Mobile; and

**WHEREAS,** The Rape Crisis Center serves a cross section of people of various races, socio-economic and educational levels; in 2019 the center provided 659 crisis phone calls; 250 hospital calls; office visits; follow up/victim support calls; court advocacy; family/friends support; clothing bank; dolls/bears given to child victims; transportation; information and referrals to community agencies;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, *William S. Stimpson, 108<sup>th</sup> Mayor of the City of Mobile, Alabama do hereby recognize The Rape Crisis Center and proclaim April 2020***

***Sexual Assault Awareness Month***  
***in the City of Mobile***

***Done at the City of Mobile, Alabama,  
this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020***

  
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**William S. Stimpson, Mayor**