

TOWN OF BLUFFTON BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH PROCLAMATION

Whereas, Breast Cancer Awareness Month is a worldwide annual campaign in October, involving thousands of organizations, to highlight the importance of breast cancer awareness, education and research; and

Whereas, according to the American Cancer Society, breast cancer is the second most common cancer among women; and

Whereas, increasing the public's knowledge about the importance of early detection of breast cancer diagnosis and treatment can save lives; and

Whereas, Breast Cancer Awareness month is an opportunity to unite all citizens in our community to prevent breast cancer deaths through increased education and regular screening; and

Whereas, this October, as we display pink ribbons, or wear pink clothing to raise awareness, we recognize breast cancer survivors, those currently battling the disease, friends and families of a diagnosed patient, and applaud the efforts of our medical professionals and researchers working to find a cure.

NOW, THEREFORE I, Mayor Larry Toomer, along with Bluffton Town Council do hereby proclaim the month of October to be **Breast Cancer Awareness Month** in the Town of Bluffton and urge all residents to learn about and help eliminate this devastating disease.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Bluffton to be affixed this proclamation on the 14 day of October 2025.

Larry C. Toomer, Mayor