



## PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS,** Millions of Americans face physical and emotional abuse at the hands of their significant other each year; and
- WHEREAS,** In Oregon, 39.8% of women and 36.2% of men experience intimate partner domestic violence in their lifetimes; and
- WHEREAS,** Domestic violence knows no boundaries, impacting women, men and children of every age, race ethnicity, economic background, and beliefs; and
- WHEREAS,** The impact of domestic violence directly affects individuals and communities when society ignores or tolerates violence in relationships; and
- WHEREAS,** Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to learn more about preventing domestic violence and for increasing the public's awareness of domestic violence;

**NOW THEREFORE,** I, Nancy Bell, Mayor of the City of Coburg, Oregon, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2025 as

### **“Domestic Violence Awareness Month”**

in the City of Coburg, and we encourage all community members to dedicate themselves to domestic violence prevention and join in this observance.

Proclaimed this 9th day of September, 2025

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Nancy Bell, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

Sammy L. Egbert, City Recorder