

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF  
THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA,  
PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER,  
2024 AS CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS  
MONTH IN THE CITY OF NORMAN.

- § 1. WHEREAS, October is recognized as National Cybersecurity Awareness Month, a time to promote awareness of the importance of cybersecurity and to empower individuals and organizations to protect themselves against cyber threats; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, in our increasingly digital world, the safety and security of our personal and community information is paramount; and
- § 3. WHEREAS; the City of Norman is committed to safeguarding the privacy and security of our residents, businesses, and government systems; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, educating our community about the risks of cyber threats, including phishing, ransomware, and data breaches, is essential for fostering a safer digital environment; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, we recognize the importance of collaboration among government, industry, and individuals in defending against cyber-attacks and promoting best practices in cybersecurity; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, this month serves as a reminder to everyone to take proactive steps to protect their personal information and to stay informed about the latest cybersecurity trends and resources.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

- § 7. Do hereby proclaim October 2024 as Cybersecurity Awareness Month in City of Norman, Oklahoma. I urge all residents and businesses to educate themselves about cybersecurity best practices and to take action to secure their digital lives.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2024.

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Mayor (Larry Heikkila)

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

