

City of Star



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the United States Government has declared April as "Sexual Assault Awareness Month" and the Women's and Children's Alliance has declared April 27, 2022 as "Denim Day"; and,

WHEREAS, both events are intended to draw attention to the fact that rape and sexual assault remain a serious issue in our society; and,

WHEREAS, "Sexual Assault Awareness Month" and "Denim Day" were also instituted to call attention to misconceptions and misinformation about rape and sexual assault, and the problem that many in society remain disturbingly uninformed with respect to issues of assault and forcible rape; and,

WHEREAS, with proper education on the matter, there is compelling evidence that we can successfully reduce incidents of this alarming and psychologically damaging crime; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Star is an important partner in the Women's and Children's Alliance's efforts to educate our community about the true impact of rape and sexual assault.

Therefore, I, Mayor Trevor Chadwick do hereby proclaim April 27, 2022 as Denim Day for Sexual Assault Awareness Month in the City of Star and encourage all citizens to speak out against sexual assault and support local efforts to provide help and healing to victims of these crimes.

Signed this 19th day of April, 2022

Mayor Trevor A. Chadwick