

RESOLUTION NO. 99-17

ROLL CALL

VOTING	YES	NO
MAYOR DALE R. BARNEY <i>(votes only in case of tie)</i>		
SHERMAN E. HUFF <i>Councilmember</i>	X	
EVERETT KELEPOLO <i>Councilmember</i>	<i>(absent)</i>	
THORA L. SHAW <i>Councilmember</i>	X	
LILLIAN J. SHEPHERD <i>Councilmember</i>	X	
CLYDE A. SWENSON <i>Councilmember</i>	X	

I MOVE this resolution be adopted: Councilmember Shaw

I SECOND the foregoing motion: Councilmember Huff

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A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING OCTOBER 1999 DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, Domestic Violence is a serious crime that affects people of all races, ages, income levels and sexes; and

WHEREAS, the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's privacy, dignity, security and humanity, due to the systematic use of physical, emotional, sexual, psychological and economic control or abuse; and

WHEREAS, in Utah:

1,978 calls were received from the domestic violence information line in 1997;

10,159 individuals, including children, were served through shelters in 1996,
7,768 protective orders were served in 1997,
2,360 domestic violence convictions were sentenced in district courts in 1997,
12% of homicides were domestic violence in 1996;

WHEREAS, children who grow up in violent homes are abused and neglected at a rate of
1500% higher than the national average;

WHEREAS, only a coordinated community effort will put a stop to this heinous crime;

NOW, THEREFORE, Dale R. Barney, Mayor of Spanish Fork City, together with the
City Council of Spanish Fork, do hereby proclaim the month of October 1999 as Domestic
Violence Awareness month and urge all citizens to participate actively in the scheduled events
and programs and to work toward the elimination of personal and institutional violence against
women.

This resolution adopted this 5th day of October, 1999, by the City Council of Spanish
Fork City, Utah.



DALE R. BARNEY, Mayor

ATTEST:



KENT R. CLARK, City Recorder



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