



HORIZON Domestic Violence Safe Home Program

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RE: Requesting Proclamation and agenda time

Dear Gila County Board of Supervisors,

October is National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. This month provides an excellent opportunity for Gila County to demonstrate its support in ending domestic violence and to support the numerous victims who are among us. Moreover, it is a wonderful opportunity to educate the public on the seriousness of domestic violence and the prevalence of this epidemic in our lives.

The Horizon Domestic Violence Safe Home would be honored if you would sponsor an official proclamation to recognize October as Gila County National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Your proclamation would lend official recognition to the important work of educating the public on domestic violence, as well as emphasize your personal commitment to ending this crime. I have enclosed a sample proclamation which may help your office compose the appropriate proclamation for Gila County.

If you or your staffs have any questions concerning the request, the sample proclamation, or National Domestic Violence Awareness Month, please call me at 928-402-9297 or email me at cgillis@horizonhumanservices.org. I will follow-up with your office on this request in the next few days. As always, we appreciate your support of National Domestic Violence Awareness Month and the ending of domestic violence. Thank you for consideration on this special request.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Gillis
Program Supervisor