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PROCLAMATION

STATE OF TEXAS

SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, Sexual Assault Awareness Month calls attention to the fact that sexual violence is widespread and impacts every community member of Johnson County; and

WHEREAS, Rape, sexual assault, and sexual harassment impact our community, and statistics show one in five women and one in 71 men will be raped at some point in their lives; and

WHEREAS, Child sexual abuse prevention must be a priority to confront the reality that one in six boys and one in four girls will experience a sexual assault before the age 18; and

WHEREAS, Young people experience heightened rates of sexual violence, and youth ages 12-17 were 2.5 times as likely to be victims of rape or sexual assault; and

WHEREAS, We must work together to educate our community about sexual violence prevention, supporting survivors, and speaking out against harmful attitudes and actions; and

WHEREAS, With leadership and dedication, we can be successful in preventing sexual violence in Johnson County by increasing education, awareness, and community involvement; and

WHEREAS, Johnson County strongly supports the efforts of national, state, and local partners, and of every citizen, to actively engage in public and private efforts to prevent sexual violence. It's time for all of us to take appropriate action and support one another to create a safer environment for all.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Roger Harmon, County Judge of Johnson County, and we the Commissioners of the four precincts in Johnson County, do hereby join advocates and communities across the country in playing an active role to prevent sexual violence. Along with the United States Government and State of Texas, I do hereby proclaim the month of April, 2014 as

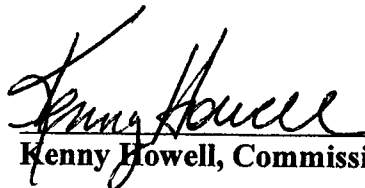
“Sexual Assault Awareness Month”

in Johnson County and urge the appropriate recognition whereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause the Seal of Johnson County, Texas to be affixed on this the 28th day of April, 2014.

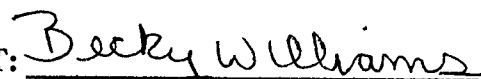

Roger Harmon, Johnson County Judge

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Kenny Howell, Commissioner Pct.#2


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Don Beeson, Commissioner Pct.#4

ATTEST: 
Becky Williams, County Clerk

Proclamation
Sexual Assault Awareness Month
April 28, 2014

