- TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
- FROM: City Administrator Ron Johnson
- SUBJECT: Proclamation Declaring April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month
- DATE: April 15, 2015

BACKGROUND

Laura McDonough, HOPE Coalition advocate, will be present to provide additional information related to the proclamation

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Reading of proclamation declaring April as Sexual Assault Awareness Month.

Attachment(s): Proclamation

Sexual Assault Awareness Month

A Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Cannon Falls is working toward making every home in Cannon Falls safe; and

WHEREAS, sexual assault is a serious crime with far reaching effects for not only the victims but the community as a whole; and

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

WHEREAS, the City of Cannon Falls joins HOPE Coalition in believing that all Cannon Falls citizens must be a part of the solution to eliminate crimes of sexual violence; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Cannon Falls, does hereby proclaim April 2015 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month in honor of all citizens of Cannon Falls who have made a conscious and dedicated decision to end sexual violence.

Lyman M. Robinson, Mayor