

PROCLAMATION

BOROUGH OF RED BANK

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH 2022

WHEREAS, in 1991, the New Jersey Legislature found and declared that domestic violence is a serious crime against society; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence affects people of all ages, races, ethnicity, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, citizenship, disability status, neurodiversity, age, mental health, substance use, and any other aspect which makes a person unique; and

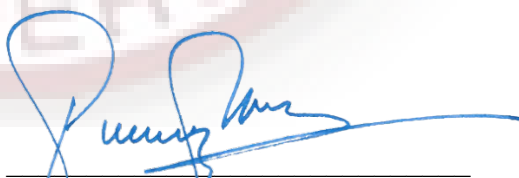
WHEREAS, survivors of domestic violence must deal with the effects of physical injuries, psychological damage, financial barriers, and trouble finding safe housing; and

WHEREAS, everyone should be free from violence; and

WHEREAS, no one should feel unsafe in their own home; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence will not be eliminated without a concerted effort amongst the community at large; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Pasquale Menna hereby declare the Month of OCTOBER, to be DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH and urge residents to work together to raise awareness of this important issue and support those who have been victimized.



PASQUALE MENNA, MAYOR