

## PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING APRIL 2025 AS CALDWELL COUNTY SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH

Six million three hundred thousand Texans have experienced some form of sexual assault in WHEREAS:

their lifetime; and

Two in five women, and one in five men, in Texas have been sexually assaulted in their WHEREAS:

lifetime affecting all races, ages, genders and economic situations; and

The Hays-Caldwell Women's Center provided direct services to 667 adult victims of sexual WHEREAS:

assault in Hays and Caldwell Counties last year; and

**WHEREAS:** Caldwell County is intolerant of sexual violence in any form and recognizes that education

and awareness may prevent sexual assault; and

WHEREAS: Efforts to reduce sexual assault can only be successful through citizen involvement, and the

safety of the citizens of Caldwell County depends upon our actions to end sexual assault.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CALDWELL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT THAT the month of April 2025 is recognized as:

## SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS & PREVENTION MONTH

**PROCLAIMED** this the 8th day of April, 2025.

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B.I. Westmoreland

Commissioner, Precinct 1

Commissioner, Precinct 3

Commissioner, Precinct 2

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Commissioner, Precinct 4

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