

*Bob Silverstein*

# City of Roseville

## PROCLAMATION

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

#### October 2010

**WHEREAS**, domestic violence is a serious crime affecting over four million Americans each year regardless of race, age, gender, or income level; and

**WHEREAS**, one in three Americans have witnessed an incident of domestic violence; and

**WHEREAS**, children who grow up in violent homes are believed to be abused and neglected at a rate higher than the national average; and

**WHEREAS**, domestic violence costs the nation billions of dollars annually in medical expenses, police/court costs, shelters, foster care, sick leave, absenteeism and non-productivity; and

**WHEREAS**, only a coordinated community effort will put a stop to this heinous crime; and

**WHEREAS**, Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to learn more about preventing domestic violence and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide critical advocacy, services, and assistance to victims.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, GINA GARBOLINO, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE, CALIFORNIA**, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim the month of **October 2010** as **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH** and encourage all citizens to participate in the fight against domestic violence.

**SIGNED AND APPROVED** this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2010.



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GINA GARBOLINO, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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SONIA OROZCO, CITY CLERK  
CITY OF ROSEVILLE, CALIFORNIA

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