PROCLAMATION
TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS & PREVENTION MONTH
FEBRUARY 2019

WHEREAS, about 1.5 million high school students are physically abused by their dating partner in a single year. Yet, only 33 percent of teens tell anyone about the abuse; and

WHEREAS, teen dating violence takes many forms including abuse through social media, physical, emotional, psychological, sexual assault and stalking; and

WHEREAS, SafeSpace, Inc. is promoting Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month offering the opportunity for teens, parents, and the community to increase knowledge regarding this issue in an effort to promote healthy safe non-violent relationships.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rebecca S. Bruner, as Mayor of the City of Stuart, Florida do hereby proclaim February 2019, as:

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in the City of Stuart, Florida and invite citizens to participate in the One Billion Rising Event on February 16th, 2019 from 3:00pm to 5:00pm at Gazebo Park, Stuart

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Stuart Florida to be affixed this 11th day of February, 2019.

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REBECCA S. BRUNER
MAYOR