

# *Proclamation*

## **“SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH”**

**APRIL 2021**

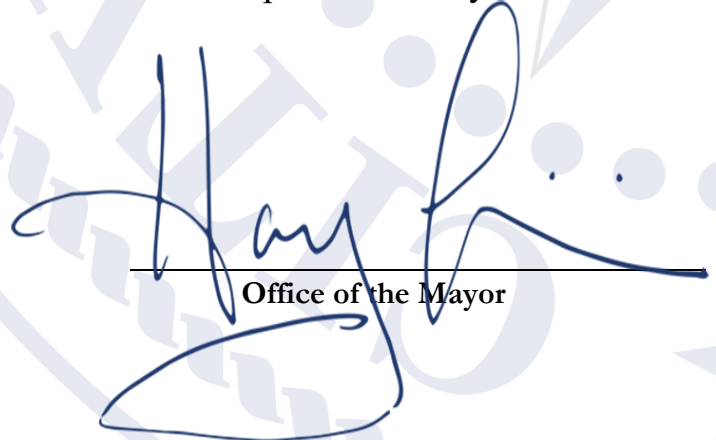
**WHEREAS**, 2021 marks the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Sexual Assault Awareness Month which is time to highlight the impact of sexual violence in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, The Turning Point, a non-profit agency, serves survivors of sexual violence, and is the only rape crisis center in Collin County; and

**WHEREAS**, this agency works tirelessly year-round to provide victims with access to a 24 hour crisis line, compassionate medical care, and a safe place for counseling to work toward deep healing and restoration; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Plano is proud of the work The Turning Point has been doing since 1982, and commends the agency for their efforts to reduce the prevalence of sexual violence in our community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, HARRY LAROSILIERE, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PLANO, TEXAS**, do hereby proclaim **April 2021** as “**Sexual Assault Awareness Month**” in Plano, and I do thereby encourage all citizens to join me and the Plano City Council in supporting The Turning Point in their mission to make Plano a safe and better place for everyone.



Office of the Mayor