

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: February 2016 is National Heart Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS: cardiovascular disease is the #1 killer of women and heart disease affects women more than men, and causes more deaths than all of the cancers combined; and

WHEREAS: more than 627,000 women's lives have been saved from heart disease since 2004, but we still have a very long way to go; and

WHEREAS: Go Red For Women is helping to raise awareness for women and heart disease; we believe in the power of a woman's heart, the power to love, the strength to fight and the will to overcome; and

- WHEREAS: Friday, February 5, 2016, is the National Go Red For Women Day, and now is the time to take a stand against heart disease and fight side by side for as long as it takes; and
- WHEREAS: we will gather at Providence Medical Group and wear our red shirts and red dress pins to support the cause.

NOW, THEREFORE: I, Duke A Bennett, Mayor of the City of Terre Haute, do hereby proclaim February 5, 2016 as

GO RED FOR WOMEN DAY

in Terre Haute, Indiana, and encourage all women and men to learn about the educational programs and risks of heart disease in women.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Terre Haute to be affixed this 5th day of February, 2016.

Duke A Bennett, Mayor

