

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JUNE 15, 2025 AS ELDER
ABUSE AWARENESS DAY

WHEREAS, June 15th has been designated as World Elder Abuse Awareness Day to shine a light on the problems of physical, emotional, and financial abuse of older adults; and

WHEREAS, the City of Colorado Springs recognizes that older residents are valued members of our community, deserving of dignity, independence, and protection; and

WHEREAS, abuse, neglect, and exploitation of older adults is an urgent and growing issue that transcends social, economic, and cultural boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City supports efforts in partnership with El Paso County, the Department of Human Services, and community organizations to provide resources, outreach, and support to those at risk of or affected by elder mistreatment; and

WHEREAS, promoting respect and safeguarding the well-being of our aging population strengthens the fabric of our community and enhances the quality of life for all residents; and

WHEREAS, we extend our gratitude to local agencies, professionals, volunteers, and caregivers who work tirelessly to prevent elder abuse through awareness, education, prevention, and intervention efforts.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF COLORADO SPRINGS:**

Section 1. The City Council recognizes June 15, 2025 as Elder Abuse Awareness Day in the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado.

DATED at Colorado Springs, Colorado, this 10th day of June, 2025.

Lynette Crow-Iverson, Council President

ATTEST:

Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk