

**RESOLUTION 2018-128**

**PROCLAIMING NATIONAL TRANSGENDER AWARENESS WEEK AND  
TRANSGENDER DAY OF REMEMBRANCE  
IN BOULDER COUNTY**

**Whereas**, November 13th to November 20th is a week of annual celebration of the transgender community to raise awareness, educate allies, and commemorate those in the community who currently face or have lost their lives to anti-transgender violence; and

**Whereas**, the transgender community continues to face biased violence that has resulted in at least 22 murders in the United States so far this year; and

**Whereas**, the victims of this violence are disproportionately trans women of color, Black trans women in particular, which demonstrates the compounding effects of transphobia, racism, and sexism; and

**Whereas**, transgender individuals are children, siblings, parents, aunts, and uncles, friends, partners, and community leaders;

**Whereas**, recognizing and protecting the humanity of transgender individuals, on a personal, local, state, and federal level, is crucial to ending this violence;

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that the week of November 13th to November 20th be declared **TRANSGENDER AWARENESS WEEK** culminating in the **TRANSGENDER DAY OF REMEMBRANCE** on November 20<sup>th</sup> in Boulder County.

**ADOPTED** this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

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