



**BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA**

PROCLAMATION

PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY 2021, AS "MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH" IN BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

WHEREAS, mental health is essential to everyone's overall health and well-being; and

WHEREAS, all Americans face challenges in life that can impact their mental health; and

WHEREAS, prevention is an effective way to reduce the burden of mental health conditions; and

WHEREAS, there are practical tools that all people can use to improve their mental health and increase resiliency; and

WHEREAS, mental health conditions are real and prevalent in our nation; and

WHEREAS, with effective treatment, those individuals with mental health conditions can recover and lead full, productive lives; and

WHEREAS, each business, school, government agency, healthcare provider, organization and citizen, share the burden of mental health problems, and has a responsibility to promote mental wellness and support prevention efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Commission commends the Leadership Baldwin County 2020-2021 Mental Health team to recommit our community to increasing awareness and understanding of mental health, the steps our citizens can take to protect their mental health within Baldwin County, and the need for appropriate and accessible services for all people with mental health conditions; now therefore

BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION, IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, that the month of May 2021, is hereby set aside as "Mental Health Awareness Month" in Baldwin County, Alabama, and the Baldwin County Commission joins the Leadership Baldwin 2020-2021 Mental Health Team in their collective efforts to participate in mental health awareness throughout Baldwin County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the County of Baldwin to be affixed at the County Seat in Bay Minette, Alabama, on this the 4th day of May, 2021.

Joe Davis, III, Chairman

ATTEST:

Wayne Dyess, County Administrator