

# **City of Scottsbluff, Nebraska**

**Monday, February 3, 2020**

**Regular Meeting**

## **Item Public Inp1**

**Mayor to read and sign the Proclamation naming March as Problem Gambling Awareness Month.**

**Staff Contact: Kim Wright, City Clerk**



## MARCH PROBLEM GAMBLING AWARENESS MONTH

- WHEREAS, there are individuals and families in our community adversely affected by problem gambling; and
- WHEREAS, compulsive gambling is often hidden from family members, social services and mental health professionals; and
- WHEREAS, compulsive gambling often occurs in combination with other disorders such as chemical dependency and depression; and
- WHEREAS, it is important to raise awareness of the warning signs of compulsive gamblers and connect them with professional help.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Raymond Gonzales, Mayor of Scottsbluff, Nebraska, do hereby proclaim March 2020, as “**Problem Gambling Awareness Month**” and urge citizens to learn more about the consequences of problem gambling and help available through the Nebraska Gamblers Assistance Program.

Date: February 3, 2020

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor (Name)

