

RESOLUTION 13-105

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE GOALS AND IDEALS OF NATIONAL PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS REMEMBRANCE DAY

WHEREAS, each year, approximately one million pregnancies in the United States end in miscarriage, stillbirth, or the death of a newborn baby; and

WHEREAS, it is a great tragedy to lose the life of a child; and

WHEREAS, even the shortest lives are still valuable, and the grief of those who mourn the loss of these lives should not be trivialized; and

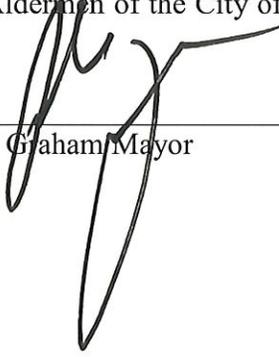
WHEREAS, for over 10 years, lawmakers all over the United States have passed Resolutions and Proclamations recognizing October 15th of each year as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day;

WHEREAS, the observance of Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day may provide validation to those who have lost a child through miscarriage, stillbirth, or other complications; and

WHEREAS, recognizing Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day will enable citizens to consider how, as individuals and communities, they can meet the needs of bereaved mothers, fathers, and family members, and work to prevent the causes of these deaths.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Spring Hill Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that **October 15th** of each year shall be known as, **"National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day"**.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee on the 21st day of October 2013.



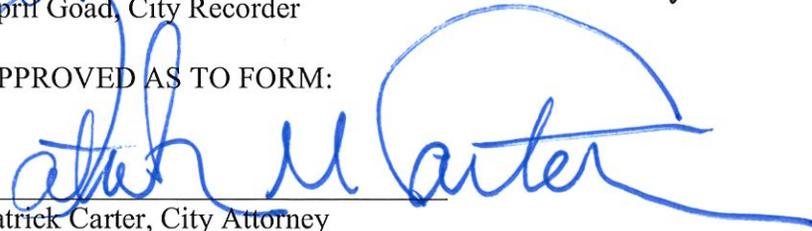
Rick Graham Mayor

ATTEST:



April Goad, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Patrick Carter, City Attorney

Pregnancy & Infant Loss Candle Light Remembrance Service

**Candles will burn
in loving memory of
our babies**



**A day of
remembrance for all
babies who have died
to soon, from early
pregnancy loss thru
infant death**

Time: October 15th, 2013 at 6:30 pm

Place: Northside Baptist Church, 127 Theta Pike, Columbia, TN

Find us on Facebook at

<http://facebook.com/MiddleTNPregnancyInfantLoss>

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**IF EVERYONE LIGHTS A CANDLE AT 7PM AND KEEPS IT BURNING FOR
AT LEAST ONE HOUR, THERE WILL BE A CONTINUOUS
WAVE OF LIGHT OVER THE ENTIRE WORLD ON OCTOBER 15TH.**