



# Proclamation

By the Mayor of Prattville, Alabama

*WHEREAS, during National Hospice Month, the City of Prattville pays special recognition to Hospice employees and volunteers in light of the extraordinary work they do in their dedicated and untiring service to others with a philosophy that affirms the inherent dignity and worth of every individual and a reverence for human life; and*

*WHEREAS, addressing the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of patients with life-limiting illnesses and providing support services to their family members requires a special kind of caring, compassion and skill; and*

*WHEREAS, the City of Prattville applauds physicians, nurses, home health aides, social workers, chaplains, bereavement counselors and volunteers who embody the spirit of the Hospice philosophy and who give much of their time, energy and expertise to this noble cause; and*

*WHEREAS, we extend our appreciation and admiration as we commend all those who perform these acts of kindness for the citizens of Prattville and throughout the nation.*

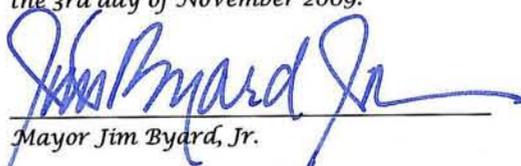
*NOW THEREFORE, I, Jim Byard, Jr., Mayor of the City of Prattville, Alabama, do hereby proclaim November 2009 as*

## HOSPICE MONTH

*in Prattville, and urge our citizens to recognize the importance of Hospice care and the vital services offered by its dedicated professionals*



Given Under My Hand and the  
Seal of the City of Prattville on  
the 3rd day of November 2009.

  
Mayor Jim Byard, Jr.