

**PROCLAMATION
PAINT THE TOWN PURPLE
April 3-April 14, 2023**

WHEREAS, cancer is a disease that touches the lives of one of every three Americans sometime in their lifetime; and

WHEREAS, The City of Shepherdstown and the American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Jefferson County has partnered to bring awareness to the citizens of Shepherdstown to fight for a cure of this disease; and

WHEREAS, Paint the Town Purple strives to make every effort to inform our citizens of the values of awareness, education, advocacy and volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, Schools Vs. Cancer of Relay for Life of Jefferson County is currently ranked 3rd in the nation; and

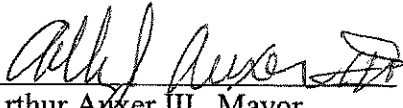
WHEREAS, The City of Shepherdstown and the Relay of Life have planned activities to Celebrate survivorship, Remember loved ones who lost their battle and the opportunity for us all to Fight Back by engaging and encouraging everyone to change behaviors and ultimately save lives; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Arthur Auxer III, Mayor of Shepherdstown, West Virginia do hereby proclaim April 3rd-April 14th 2023 as the time to

“PAINT THE TOWN PURPLE FOR HOPE ”

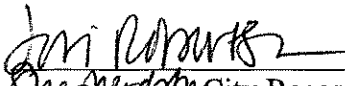
And urge citizens if Shepherdstown to participate in the various scheduled activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Arthur Auxer III, Mayor of Shepherdstown have hereunto affixed my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Shepherdstown, West Virginia to be affixed this 29th of March, 2023



Arthur Auxer III, Mayor

Attest:



Shepherdstown City Recorder