



City of Detroit Detroit City Council

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RESOLUTION COMEMORATING MARCH AS TRIPLE NEGATIVE BREAST CANCER (TNBC) AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC), which accounts for 10%-15% of all breast cancers, tends to be more aggressive and have a higher risk of recurrence¹ ; and

WHEREAS, TNBC is more common in younger women, Black women, and those with BRCA1 mutations, with early detection through proactive screenings critical to help victims survive² ; and

WHEREAS, TNBC Awareness Month exists to encourage fundraising, advocacy, and education efforts to ensure that those most at-risk are aware of the resources available and the need to get regular screenings; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Councilmember At-Large Mary Waters and the Detroit City Council recognize March as Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC) Awareness Month and calls upon all at-risk people to speak with their healthcare providers about TNBC.

¹ <https://operationbreastdensity.org>

² *ibid*