

# Proclamation

## City of Palm Bay, Florida

### NOTICE AND PROCLAMATION OF CHEFS APPRECIATION DAY August 16, 2014

IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PALM BAY, BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

**WHEREAS**, the National Pink Tie Organization (NPTO), a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization keeps it simple. The mission is to band men together to support the fight against cancer. The vision is for every man to wear a pink or fuchsia tie nationwide to raise awareness, educate and empower the community about cancer, and

**WHEREAS**, NPTO Chefs Against Cancer division involves over 400,000 chefs and is growing rapidly worldwide. These are busy professionals who volunteer to stand beside fellow chefs and their immediate family members who are facing one of the most stressful times in their lives, and

**WHEREAS**, historically chefs have shown great compassion to others. The very word "restaurant" is derived from the French word "restaurer" which means "to restore". The first French restaurants were establishments that sold meat based consommés intended to restore strength to those who were not feeling well, and

**WHEREAS**, few things are better for both the body and the soul than a well-crafted, sublimely prepared, and loving presented meal. NPTO chefs have made the commitment that their colleagues will not be alone when the going gets tough, and

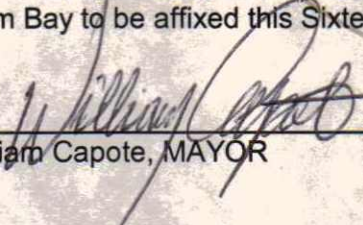
**WHEREAS**, above all, Chef Appreciation Day is for giving back to those who have already helped so many others realize how truly wonderful a happy, healthy life can taste.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, William Capote, Mayor of the City of Palm Bay, by virtue of the authority of said office, do hereby proclaim August 16, 2014, as:


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and express the hope that we will continue to support the fight against cancer, honoring the survivors and remembering those who will forever live in our hearts.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Palm Bay to be affixed this Sixteenth day of August, Two Thousand Fourteen.

  
William Capote, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
Alice Passmore, CITY CLERK

