



Proclamation



WHEREAS, *the National Pink Tie Organization (NPTO) bands men together to support the fight against cancer by encouraging men, nationwide, to wear a pink or fuchsia tie to raise awareness, educate, and empower the community about cancer; and*

WHEREAS, *the NPTO's Chef's Against Cancer division includes over 400,000 chefs and is growing rapidly worldwide; and*

WHEREAS, *NPTO chefs have made the commitment that their colleagues and families will not be alone when the going gets tough; and*


WHEREAS, *Chefs Against Cancer honors chefs every third Saturday in August by gathering local chefs, physicians, nutritionists, and fitness trainers for the annual Chef's Appreciation Day to promote healthy living and cooking, uplift one another, and give back to those who have already helped so many others realize how truly wonderful a happy, healthy life can taste; and*

WHEREAS, *Residents of the City of Vero Beach support their efforts in the fight against cancer, honor the survivors, and remember those who will forever live in our hearts.*

WHEREAS, *it is fitting and proper that the City of Vero Beach extend official recognition to the National Pink Tie Organization and support its efforts in the fight against cancer.*

NOW, THEREFORE, *the City Council of the City of Vero Beach, Florida, does hereby proclaim Saturday, August 16, 2014 as "CHEF'S APPRECIATION DAY" and urge all citizens to join with us as we acknowledge this outstanding organization and exemplary individuals.*

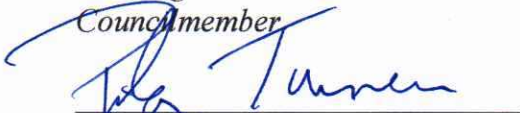
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