

# PROCLAMATION



City and County of Denver

## Proclamation No. CP14-0648 Recognizing Saturday, August 16, 2014 as Chef's Appreciation Day

**WHEREAS**, the National Pink Tie Organization (NPTO), a 501(c)(3) non-profit and their Chef's Against Cancer Division, were created to band men together in the fight against all types of cancer and men nationwide wear pink or fuchsia ties to raise awareness, educate, and empower the community about cancer; and

**WHEREAS**, the NPTO's Chef's Against Cancer Division includes more than 400,000 chef's and is growing in numbers worldwide; the chef's volunteer their time to stand beside fellow chefs and their family members to provide support and encouragement; and

**WHEREAS**, every third Saturday in August; chefs, physicians, nutritionists, and fitness trainers will gather to promote healthy living and cooking, uplift one another, and give back to those who have already helped so many others experience how wonderful a happy, healthy life can taste; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 16, 2014, the Master Chefs Care Program will launch and chefs will share new recipes and cutting edge culinary techniques to help others share in kitchen camaraderie to help promote healthy living and cooking; and

**WHEREAS**, NPTO Chefs are committed to their colleagues and others to the mission of supporting individuals undergoing treatment for cancer.

### **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

**Section 1.** That the Denver City Council supports the National Pink Tie Organization and supports its efforts in the fight against cancer.

**Section 2.** That the Denver City Council proclaims Saturday, August 16, 2014, as Chef's Appreciation Day, and encourages all men to wear pink or fuchsia ties on that day to show support for all people in their fight against cancer.

**Section 3.** That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Donald Crutch, Founder of the National Pink Tie Organization.



PASSED BY THE COUNCIL August 11, 2014

Christopher J. Hemlock PRESIDENT