

# Whereas

*Whereas,* the National Pink Tie Organization has a mission of banding men together in the fight against cancer, and a vision of men nationwide wearing pink or fuchsia ties to raise awareness, educate and empower the community about cancer; and

*Whereas,* "Isaac," a great executive chef who sadly lost his life to Colon Cancer, wished to attend Chefs Appreciation Day at least one time; and

*Whereas,* the NPTO's Chefs Against Cancer involves over 400,000 chefs and is growing rapidly worldwide; and

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

*Whereas,* Portlanders support the fight against cancer, honoring the survivors and remembering those who will forever live in our hearts;

*Now, Therefore,* I, Charlie Hales, Mayor of the City of Portland, Oregon, the "City of Roses," do hereby proclaim August 16, 2014 to be

*Chef's Appreciation Day*

in Portland, and encourage all residents observe this day by thanking our chefs.

*Charlie Hales*

