



Hillsborough County

Board of County Commissioners

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the National Pink Tie Organization bands together men representing all interests and career paths to support the fight against cancer; and

WHEREAS, the organization's Chefs Against Cancer division involves more than 400,000 chefs nationwide, committed to volunteering their time and talents to help cancer fighters and their families tackle the day-to-day toll the disease takes on their emotional, financial and spiritual well-being; and

WHEREAS, the organization and its division recognizes Chef's Appreciation Day on the third Saturday of August; and

WHEREAS, chefs, doctors, nutritionists and fitness professionals are encouraged to gather nationwide in August to promote healthy cooking, exercise, living a healthy lifestyle and supporting and appreciating one another; and

WHEREAS, chefs historically have shown great compassion to others — with the very word *restaurant* derived from the word *restaurer*, which means *restore*; and

WHEREAS, Chefs Against Cancer has introduced a Master Chefs Care program, through which kitchen warriors, vendors and food distributors share trends, recipes and cutting-edge culinary techniques; and

WHEREAS, Chef's Appreciation Day is a nationwide effort to bring local communities together in savoring the benefits of eating well, keeping active and serving others.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners does hereby recognize August 16, 2014, as

Chef's Appreciation Day

in Hillsborough County. Further, we urge all citizens to unite in the fight against cancer and in the appreciation of our local chefs who cook up many ways to give back to our community and to their colleagues and neighbors in need.

Executed this 16th day of August, 2014.



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