

Meeting Date
Sept. 16, 2014



AGENDA	
Section	RESOLUTION
Item No.	I.C

AGENDA REPORT
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT:	Resolution: Proclaiming September 2014 Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
DEPT/OFFICE:	County Commissioner Mary Bolin Lewis, District 4

Requested Action:
 It is requested that the Board approve a Resolution proclaiming September 2014 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month.

Summary Explanation & Background:

American Cancer Fund for Children, Inc.

POC: Molly Tice 633-2044
 Molly.tice@brevardcounty.us

Exhibits Attached:

Contract /Agreement (If attached): Reviewed by County Attorney Yes No PR

County Manager	Deputy County Manager	Department Director / Extension
Stockton Whitten	Assistant County Manager	



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September 17, 2014

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mary Bolin Lewis, Commissioner District 4

RE: Item I.C., Resolution Proclaiming September 2014 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on September 16, 2014, adopted Resolution No. 14-148, proclaiming September 2014 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Etheridge, Deputy Clerk

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution

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WHEREAS, one in five of our nation's children loses his or her battle with cancer; many infants, children, and teens will suffer from long-term effects of comprehensive treatment, including secondary cancers; and

WHEREAS, founded over twenty years ago by Steven Firestein, a member of the philanthropic Max Factor family, the American Cancer Fund for Children, Inc. and Kids Cancer Connection, Inc. are dedicated to helping these children and their families; and

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection provide a variety of vital patient psychosocial services to children undergoing cancer treatment at St. Joseph's Children's Hospital of Tampa, All Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg, Nemours Children's Hospital in Orlando, as well as participating hospitals throughout the country, thereby enhancing the quality of life for these children and their families; and

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection also sponsor Courageous Kid Recognition Award ceremonies and hospital celebrations in honor of a child's determination and bravery to fight the battle against childhood cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby proclaim the month of September as

CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED, in regular session, this 16th day of September 2014.

ATTEST:

MARY BOLIN LEWIS, CHAIRMAN
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

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