

PASSED: September 9, 2015  
BY: Wolf

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-22

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 2015  
AS CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Fund for Children and Kids Cancer Connection report cancer is the leading cause of death by disease among U.S. children between infancy and age 15. This tragic disease is detected in nearly 15,000 of our country's young people each and every year; and

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 cosmetics 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 Nationwide Children's Hospital in Columbus, Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center, 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 presentations, community get well cards and hospital celebrations in honor of a child's determination and bravery to fight the battle against childhood cancer;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of Amberley Village, Ohio, seven (7) members elected thereto concurring:

**SECTION 1.** That the Council of Amberley Village, Ohio hereby designates and proclaims the month of September, 2015 as "Childhood Cancer Awareness Month."

**SECTION 2.** That we call upon all citizens of Amberley Village to recognize the effect childhood cancer has on those around them and to make themselves more aware of the efforts to fight childhood cancer.

**SECTION 3.** That this Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of September 2015.

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Mayor Thomas C. Muething

Attest:

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council

I, Clerk of Council of Amberley Village, Ohio, certify that on the \_\_\_\_ day of September 2015, the forgoing Resolution was published pursuant to Article IX of the Home Rule Charter by posting true copies of said Resolution at all of the places of public notice as designed by Sec. 31.40(B), Code of Ordinances.

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Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council