

PASSED: September 9, 2015
BY: Wolf

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-23

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

WHEREAS, Prostate cancer is the most commonly diagnosed non-skin cancer in men and the second leading cause of cancer deaths in men; and

WHEREAS, One in seven men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer. Every day, another 630 American men learn they have prostate cancer - 230,000 people annually. By 2015, there will be more than 300,000 new prostate cancer cases each year. 30,000 men will die of prostate cancer; and

WHEREAS, Every 18 minutes, a man dies from prostate cancer; and

WHEREAS, African American men are 50% more likely to be diagnosed with prostate cancer than Caucasian men, and more than twice as likely to develop advanced prostate cancer; and

WHEREAS, during the early stages of prostate cancer there are no symptoms. Most prostate cancer is found by prostate cancer screening tests. All men are encouraged to increase their awareness of the importance of prostate cancer screenings;

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 "Prostate Cancer Awareness Month."

SECTION 2. That we call upon all citizens of Amberley Village to recognize the importance of early screening and detection of prostate cancer.

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

Passed this 9th day of September 2015.

Mayor Thomas C. Muething

Attest:

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.

Nicole Browder, Clerk of Council