Cooper City

Office of the City Commission

Proclamation

WHEREAS, in 1985 the first Relay For Life was started by Dr. Gordon Klatt in Tacoma, Washington to raise money and awareness for cancer survivors and cancer research; and

WHEREAS, Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's nationwide signature activity that celebrates cancer survivors and caregivers, remembers loved ones lost to the disease and empowers individuals and communities to fight back against cancer; and

WHEREAS, money raised during Relay For Life of Plantation, Weston, Cooper City, and Davie supports the American Cancer Society's mission of saving lives by helping people stay well and get well, by finding cures, and by fighting back; and

WHEREAS, 2025 marks 40 years of Relay For Life celebrating hope and taking bold steps towards a world without cancer, as we know it; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cooper City is a proud participant in the Plantation, Weston, Cooper City, and Davie Relay For Life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James Curran, Mayor of the City of Cooper City, Broward County, Florida, and the City Commission, do hereby recognize and support the research efforts of the American Cancer Society and urge all the cit<u>i</u>zenry of Cooper City to join the ongoing search for a cure and the fight against cancer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Cooper City, Broward County, Florida, to be affixed on this 27th day of May, A.D., 2025.

JAMES CURRAN

Mayor, City of Cooper City