

House Resolution No. 3429

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State organizations which demonstrate such tremendous potential for bettering the quality of human life now and in the future; and

Whereas, Relay For Life serves as a unique and effective means of promoting community good will while raising much-needed funds for the American Cancer Society's diverse programs of research, education, advocacy, and service which are designed to prevent disease, save lives, and diminish suffering; and

Whereas, Relay For Life is the nationwide signature activity for the American Cancer Society in its longstanding battle against a disease which has eliminated so many people and resources from society's treasury; and

Whereas, Relay For Life activities educate the public about cancer prevention and detection, raise the financial resources necessary for the fight against this deadly disease, and help participants celebrate survival; and

Whereas, the Cedar Hill Relay For Life will open its annual fund-raising on Friday, June 25, 2004, with activities at the Northwest High School track in which everyone will have the opportunity to participate in the fight against cancer; and

Whereas, the 2004 edition of the Cedar Hill Relay For Life will build on the success of the two previous years which raised a combined total of \$73,000; and

Whereas, in addition to recognition given to those individuals who have or are struggling against cancer, the 2004 Cedar Hill Relay For Life will pay tribute to three special women, Marsha Williams, Lori Becker, and Dianne Lowerre, who provided the visionary leadership necessary to establish, promote, and grow the local fund-raising event:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the exemplary, productive association formed between Cedar Hill Relay For Life and the American Cancer Society under the guidance of Marsha Williams, Lori Becker, and Dianne Lowerre and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for resounding fund-raising success in 2004; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Cedar Hill Relay For Life program.

Offered by _____
 Representative Harold R. Selby
 District No. 105

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3429, adopted June 17, 2004.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker