

**MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION
DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 2011 AS
NATIONAL CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

WHEREAS, childhood cancer is the number one disease killer and second leading cause of death (exceeded only by accidents) of children; and

WHEREAS, on any given school day approximately 46 young people, or two classrooms of students, are diagnosed with cancer; and

WHEREAS, every year, more than 12,500 children are diagnosed with cancer; and

WHEREAS, one in every 330 persons in the United States will develop cancer before his or her 20th birthday; and

WHEREAS, every year over 2, 500 children under the age of 20 lose their lives to cancer, and

WHEREAS, our children are our most precious resource and are truly golden in our hearts;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that, I, Mayor Jeff Coleman, do hereby proclaim September 2011 as **NATIONAL CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH** in the City of Pflugerville, Texas.

In Witness Whereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 13th day of September, 2011.

Jeff Coleman, Mayor

Attest:

Karen Thompson, City Secretary