In Recognition of Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation Day May 24, 2014

WHEREAS, the mission of the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation is to provide emergency financial assistance for children fighting cancer to ensure access to basic human necessities and to advocate for and raise awareness of childhood cancer; and

WHEREAS, the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation is a nonprofit 501 (c) (3) public charity located in Fort Lauderdale and founded in 2004 by Sandra Muvdi shortly after the loss of her only child, Jessica June Eiler Muvdi, to cancer; and

WHEREAS, on May 24, 2014, the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation celebrates ten years of raising awareness of the struggles of children in need who are fighting cancer and providing support that every child deserves; and

WHEREAS, the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation is a Children's Cancer Charity, Fund, and Foundation based in South Florida providing assistance to children in Miami and Broward County from Fort Lauderdale to Weston, and in Palm Beach County from West Palm Beach to Wellington and most recently St. Petersburg and Tampa in Pinellas County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation is to increase the number of children for whom the organization provides financial assistance, increase the funding levels for each child, and broaden advocacy and awareness throughout the nation; and

WHEREAS, approximately 2,300 children have received assistance from the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation in the 10 years since its founding, and the Mayor and City Commission are proud to issue this proclamation to Ms. Sandra Muvdi in recognition of her strength, determination, and achievement in founding the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation, and for making the lives of our families a little bit easier.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, as City Commissioners of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, do hereby proclaim **Saturday, May 24, 2014** as:

Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation Day

in the City of Fort Lauderdale and do thank the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation for the invaluable service they provide to the children and families in the Fort Lauderdale community.

DATED this, the 20th day of May 2014.

Mayor John P. "Jack" Seiler



