

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life event is an overnight slumber party under the stars to celebrate cancer survivorship and to remember those

who have lost their battle with cancer; and

WHEREAS, Relay For Life team members raise money for cancer research, education,

advocacy and patient support programs; and

WHEREAS, at E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park on September 6th and 7th, friends, neighbors and

strangers will come together in a common quest to fight cancer and become

friends for life; and

WHEREAS, the Relay For Life has grown since the first relay event took place in 1986.

Currently there are 23 countries outside the United States participating annually;

and

WHEREAS, Relay For Life is a community gathering where families, corporations, hospitals,

churches and other civic groups are encouraged to participate; and

WHEREAS, at the Relay For Life, crossing the finish line is not nearly as important as

crossing the starting line.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kathleen M. Novak, Mayor of the City of Northglenn, Colorado, do hereby proclaim September 6th, 2008 as:

RELAY FOR LIFE DAY

at E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park and encourage the entire community to come out and show your support for the Relay For Life.

DATED, at Northglenn, Colorado, this 28th day of August 2008.

KATHLEEN M. NOVAK

Mayor

