

City of Tyler
by the honorable
Barbara Bass, Mayor

A Proclamation

**RELAY FOR LIFE DAY
OCTOBER 3, 2008**

Whereas, Relay For Life is the signature activity of the American Cancer Society and honors cancer survivors (anyone who has ever been diagnosed with cancer) and remembers those lost to the disease; and

Whereas, there are an estimated 10.5 million Americans with a history of cancer alive today; and

Whereas, this year alone, more than 1.4 million new cases of cancer will be diagnosed in the United States; and 91,020 will be diagnosed in Texas; and

Whereas, money raised during the American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Tyler helps support research, education, advocacy and patient services; and

Whereas, Relay For Life helps fund more than \$100 million in cancer research each year,

Now Therefore, I, Barbara Bass, Mayor of the City of Tyler, Texas, do hereby proclaim OCTOBER 3, 2008, as RELAY FOR LIFE DAY, in the City of Tyler, Texas, and encourage citizens to participate in Relay For Life of Tyler.

*In official recognition whereof I hereby
affix my signature this 3rd day of October 2008.*

A Natural Beauty

*Barbara R. Bass
Mayor of Tyler, Texas*