

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: APRIL 15, 2009

DEPARTMENT: OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

DIRECTOR: DAVID RIGGLEMAN

SUBJECT:

RECOGNITION OF THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY AND THE DANCING WITH THE LAS VEGAS STARS EVENT

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Submitted at Meeting - Copy of Proclamation for Dancing with the Las Vegas Stars American Cancer Society Day

Minutes:

MAYOR GOODMAN announced that he would be participating in the Dancing with the Las Vegas Stars Event on Sunday, April 19th, to benefit six outstanding community organizations. He invited LISA RICHARD, Director of Development for the Caring Place, PAULETTE ANDERSON, Director of Communications for the American Cancer Society, HEATHER McGOWAN, American Cancer Society, and TONY and ERIKA DELGADO, Delgado Dance Studio, to the podium.

MS. ANDERSON thanked MAYOR GOODMAN for participating in this fundraiser and briefly described the many services offered by the American Cancer Society. MS. RICHARD outlined services available at The Caring Place as a complement to conventional medical treatment. The Caring Place is partnering with the American Cancer Society, the Susan G. Komen Foundation, the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Speedway Children's Charities, and the Candlelighters for Childhood Cancer Foundation to provide much needed services for those diagnosed with cancer. She identified the www.dancingwiththelasvegasstars.com website and noted 100 percent of all monies raised would benefit the charities. The \$25,000 prize was sponsored by Comprehensive Cancer Centers of Nevada and would go to the charities.

MR. DELGADO thanked MAYOR GOODMAN for his commitment to the event, noting that he has the least time to devote to learning his dance. MAYOR GOODMAN presented him with the proclamation declaring April 19, 2009, as Dancing with the Las Vegas Stars American Cancer Society Day.