

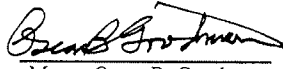
City of Las Vegas
Office of the Mayor and City Council



- WHEREAS;* blood cancers currently afflict more than 912,938 Americans with an estimated 139,860 new cases diagnosed each year; and
- WHEREAS;* leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma will kill an estimated 53,240 people in the United States this year; and
- WHEREAS;* The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, through voluntary contributions, is dedicated to finding cures for these diseases through research efforts and the support for those that suffer from them; and
- WHEREAS;* The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society maintains an office in Southern Nevada to support patients with these diseases and their family members in the City of Las Vegas and the State of Nevada; and
- WHEREAS;* the City of Las Vegas and State of Nevada are similarly committed to the eradication of these diseases and supports the treatment of its citizens that suffer from them; and
- WHEREAS;* the City of Las Vegas and State of Nevada encourages private efforts to enhance research funding and education programs that addresses these diseases; now
- THEREFORE;* We, the Mayor and Members of the Las Vegas City Council, do hereby take great pride in designating the month of September 2009 as :

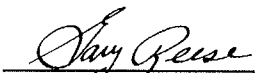
Leukemia, Lymphoma & Myeloma
Awareness Month

in the City of Las Vegas and encourage participation in voluntary activities to support education programs and the funding of research programs to find a cure for them.


Mayor Oscar B. Goodman

Submitted At Meeting

Date 9/2/09 Item # 9


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