

City of San Antonio



Proclamation

WHEREAS, DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2018 GABRIELLA'S SMILE FOUNDATION WILL OBSERVE **CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH** TO HONOR AND REMEMBER CHILDREN AND FAMILIES AFFECTED BY THIS DISEASE; AND

WHEREAS, CANCER IS THE LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH BY DISEASE IN OUR NATION AMONG CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO AGE 19, AND IS DETECTED IN MORE THAN 15,700 YOUNG PEOPLE EACH YEAR; AND

WHEREAS, GABRIELLA'S SMILE FOUNDATION, A DIVISION OF CHARITYSMITH, IS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO HELPING FAMILIES AFFECTED BY PEDIATRIC BRAIN CANCER, AND PROVIDING GRANTS FOR FAMILIES AFFECTED BY DIPG, AN INOPERABLE BRAIN STEM TUMOR; AND

WHEREAS, THE FOUNDATION WILL HOST **GOLD OUT DAY** ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2018, AND ENCOURAGE CITIZENS TO WEAR A GOLD RIBBON, WHICH SIGNIFIES HOW PRECIOUS AND PRICELESS CHILDREN ARE...JUST LIKE A PIECE OF GOLD.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON NIRENBERG, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, IN RECOGNITION THEREOF, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM SEPTEMBER 2018 TO BE

"CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH"

AND SEPTEMBER 28, 2018, TO BE **"GOLD OUT DAY"** IN SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO BE AFFIXED THIS 1ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2018.



RON NIRENBERG
MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK