

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer awareness is seen, heard and realized in Key West; and

WHEREAS, Men who care about the women in their lives act to ensure women 40 years and

older get annual mammograms; and

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer, when detected early, has a 98% 5 – year survival rate; and

WHEREAS, Men across the island of Key West vow to wear pink sneakers during the week in

their place of business, leading by example, declaring that breast cancer awareness

and early detection is key to Saving Lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Cates, Mayor of the City of Key West, do hereby proclaim December 26th through December 31st, 2011 as

Real Men Wear Pink Sneakers Week

in the "Southernmost City of the Continental United States" I would like to urge all citizens, residents and visitors of our Southernmost City to participate fittingly in the observation.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the City of Key West, Florida, this 6th day of December 2011.

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Craig Cates, MAYOR	