

WHEREAS, bladder cancer is the 7th most commonly diagnosed cancer in the United States, with 85,000 new diagnoses and 18,000 deaths annually, seriously impacting families, friends, workplaces, and communities; and

WHEREAS, more than 7,600 Floridians will receive a bladder cancer diagnosis in 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Bladder Cancer Advocacy Network (BCAN) provides thousands of patients, caregivers, and the medical community with the educational resources and support services needed for navigating and managing their bladder cancer journeys; and

WHEREAS, BCAN works collaboratively with medical and research professionals, as well as the patient community, encouraging and facilitating sharing of their experiences with others; and

WHEREAS, BCAN also champions innovative research and responsive national policy to inspire hope for tomorrow, while also building awareness of the disease; and

WHEREAS, bladder cancer survivors are a testament to courage and the importance of promoting awareness about bladder cancer, providing information, funding research, and offering treatment to those who are affected.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Commission of the City of Coconut Creek, Florida, hereby proclaims May 2026 as

“BLADDER CANCER AWARENESS MONTH”

in the City of Coconut Creek and urge all residents to join in supporting those impacted by bladder cancer and to work together toward a future free from this disease.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto
set our hands and caused the seal of
the City of Coconut Creek to be affixed
this 28th day of May 2026.**