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To honor and recognize the Komen Columbus Race for the Cure® for raising money to fund groundbreaking breast cancer research around the world and fund breast health community programs.

WHEREAS, Susan G. Komen® Columbus recently invested \$1.46 million to fund 21 breast health programs that will make a profound life-saving impact to thousands of women and men with breast health screening, education, and treatment throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the Komen Columbus Race for the Cure is now in its 24th year and has grown from 875 participants to more than 32,000 walkers and runners, making it the largest Komen Race for the Cure in the United States for a second year in a row; and

WHEREAS, the Komen Columbus Race for the Cure will take place on Saturday, May 14th in the heart of the Capital City; and

WHEREAS, the money raised will be used to support local breast health programs in Komen Columbus' 30-county service area, including education, breast health screening, and treatment; funds will also be used to support global research to find cures for breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, we encourage everyone to register and fundraise for the Komen Race for the Cure so that one day we can celebrate finding cures for breast cancer; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

That this Council recognizes the runners, walkers, and supporters of Komen Columbus Race for the Cure; further, we celebrate our community's breast cancer survivors, honor those who have succumbed to the disease, and support the family and friends who stood by them, for their determination and courage.