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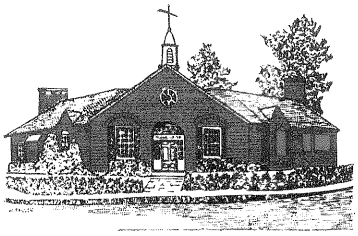

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Burrillville Town Council
Proclamation

The Second Full Week in May is
Women's Lung Health Week

Designating the second full week in May as "Women's Lung Health Week"

WHEREAS, every five minutes, a woman in the U.S. is told she has lung cancer; and

WHEREAS, lung cancer is the #1 cancer killer of women in the U.S. and Rhode Island; and

WHEREAS, the lung cancer death rate in women has almost doubled over the past 37 years; and

WHEREAS, advocacy and increased awareness will result in more and better early detection and treatment for women with lung cancer and other lung diseases and will ultimately save lives; and

WHEREAS, LUNG FORCE is the national movement led by the American Lung Association to unite women to stand together with collective strength and determination to lead the fight against lung cancer and for lung health.

BE IT RESOLVED, Burrillville hereby designates the second full week in May as Women's Lung Health Week throughout the community, and encourages all residents to learn more about the detection and treatment of lung cancer.

Adopted by the Burrillville Town Council this 22nd day of April 2015

John F. Pacheco, III, President
Burrillville Town Council

ATTEST: _____
Louise R. Phaneuf
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