

PROCLAMATION

28th Annual Barrington Area Crop Hunger Walk October 17, 2010

WHEREAS, eleven Barrington area churches and numerous civic organizations will be conducting the 28th Annual CROP Walk, Sunday, October 17, 2010; and

WHEREAS, funds raised in the CROP Hunger Walk will assist, in part, local relief agencies, including Meals with Wheels, Northern Illinois Food Bank, Project Hope Food Pantry, FISH Carpentersville, the Wauconda-Island Lake Food Pantry, the PIN (People in Need) Program of the Barrington Ministerial Association and Barrington Giving Day; and

WHEREAS, these funds, in part, also go to the Church World Service to provide national and international relief, development and refugee resettlement; and

WHEREAS, the Barrington community has faithfully supported Church World Service's CROP Hunger Walk by raising \$1,100,000 in the previous twenty-seven walks.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karen Darch, President of the Board of Trustees for the Village of Barrington, Cook and Lake Counties, Illinois do hereby proclaim **Sunday, October 17, 2010** as **CROP Hunger Walk Day** in the Village of Barrington in recognition and support of the hundreds of CROP Walkers who want to end hunger "one step at a time" and who ask us to join them in making a difference for hungry people locally, nationally and around the world.

Dated this 11th day of October, 2010

*Karen Darch
Village President*