

**PROCLAMATION**  
**29TH ANNUAL BARRINGTON CROP WALK**  
**October 16, 2011**

**WHEREAS**, seventeen Barrington area churches and numerous schools and civic organizations will be conducting the 29th Annual CROP Hunger Walk, Sunday, October 16, 2011; and

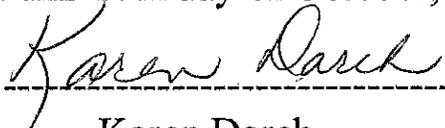
**WHEREAS**, funds raised in this **Walk** will assist, in part, local relief agencies, including Barrington Meals with Wheels, Wauconda - Island Lake Food Pantry, the Northern Illinois Food Bank, Barrington Giving Day, the People in Need (PIN) program of the Barrington Ministerial Association, Project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

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

**WHEREAS**, the Barrington and neighboring communities have faithfully supported CROP and Church World Service by raising \$1,234,171 in the previous twenty-eight 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 **October 16, 2011** as **CROP Walk Day** in the Village of Barrington in recognition and support of the hundreds of CROP Walkers who will "Walk Because They Walk" and are asking us to join them in making a difference for hungry people locally, nationally and around the world.

Dated this 10th day of October, 2011



Karen Darch  
Village President