

PROCLAMATION

33rd Annual Barrington Crop Walk October 18, 2015

WHEREAS, twelve Barrington area churches and numerous schools and civic organizations will be conducting the 33rd Annual CROP Walk, Sunday, October 18, 2015; 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; 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 and neighboring communities have faithfully supported CROP and Church World Service by raising more than \$1,300,000 in the previous thirty-two 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 18, 2015** 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 12th day of October, 2015

*Karen Darch
Village President*