

## RICK SCOTT GOVERNOR

## **CANCER SURVIVORS DAY**

WHEREAS, a "cancer survivor" is an individual living with a history of cancer from the moment of diagnosis through the remainder of life; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 1.15 million cancer survivors in Florida and nearly 13.7 million cancer survivors in the United States; and

WHEREAS, more than 114,500 Floridians will be diagnosed with cancer this year; and

WHEREAS, helping those with cancer is a top priority through increasing access to quality cancer screening and care, as well as providing effective prevention strategies, especially for minorities and the medically underserved; and

WHEREAS, the first Sunday in June is recognized as National Cancer Survivors Day; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Scott, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing June 1, 2014, as *Cancer Survivors Day*.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May, in the year two thousand fourteen.

Governor