

WHEREAS, the month of October is recognized as breast cancer awareness month in the United States; and

WHEREAS, breast cancer is the most common cancer among women of all races in this country, where one-in-eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer within their lifetime; and

WHEREAS, women between the ages of 45 and 64 in Williamson County, have a higher rate of breast cancer when compared to the average incident rate in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Pink Heals Tour seeks to support all women who have been affected by any cancer and raise awareness by driving pink fire trucks across the country; and

WHEREAS, Dave Graybill and the Guardians of the Ribbon hope to inspire male dominated professions, such as firefighters and police officers, to stand up and honor women who have had cancer throughout the month of October by wearing pink to show their support; and

WHEREAS, The Pink Heals Tour will make a stop in Georgetown on October 13, 2010 with firefighters and leaders from the cities of Georgetown, Austin, Round Rock, Hutto, Taylor, Jarrell, Weir, Liberty Hill, Leander and Cedar Park making this stop a county wide effort to raise awareness and support; now, therefore, be it

PROCLAIMED, that Williamson County Commissioners Court will hereby declare October 13, 2010 as

## Pink Heals Day

In Williamson County, Texas and urge all to join us in supporting the women and their families affected by cancer.

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge

Hisa Birkman, Commissioner Pct. 1

Valerie Covey, Commissioner Po

Cyntaia Long, Commissioner Pct

Ron Morrison, Commissioner Pct. 4.