

City of Saint Paul

# Proclamation

*Whereas, The Aliveness Project was founded in 1985 to provide social support and connect people living with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) to resources for leading healthy, self-directed lives; and*

*Whereas, The Aliveness Project is committed to providing accurate information about HIV and acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) to newly-diagnosed people living with HIV, their families and the community; and*

*Whereas, The Aliveness Project intends to eliminate stigma and influence policies impacting both HIV prevention and care strategies; and*

*Whereas, over 1,900 individuals (1 out of 4 of the Minnesotans living with HIV) benefit from the services of The Aliveness Project, including a hot meal program, a food shelf, nutritional therapy, integrative therapy, case management, mental and chemical health programs, outreach and prevention programs and a holiday gift program; and*

*Whereas, on Thursday, April 27 a total of 160 restaurants from across Minnesota (including 23 restaurants in Saint Paul) will participate in the 23rd Annual Dining Out For Life by donating a percentage of their profits to the fight against HIV and AIDS.*

*Now, Therefore, I, Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor of the City of Saint Paul, do hereby proclaim Thursday, April 27, 2017, to be:*

## **Dining Out For Life Day**

*in the City of Saint Paul.*



*In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Saint Paul to be affixed this Twenty-Seventh Day of April in the Year Two Thousand Seventeen.*

*Christopher B. Coleman*  
Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor