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FRAN DRESCHER'S CANCER ACTIVISM HONORED BY L.A. CITY COUNCIL

Fran Drescher, star of "The Nanny", New York Times bestselling author, uterine cancer survivor, and proud Los Angeles resident for almost 30 years was awarded an official proclamation from the Los Angeles City Council for her work to ensure that all women's cancers are diagnosed in Stage 1, when they are most curable.

"Fran Drescher's Cancer Schmancer Movement has just begun to save lives," said Council President Eric Garcetti upon presenting the award. "Her unique gift combines compassion, experience, personal outreach and legislative savvy."

"I feel like I got famous, I got cancer, and I lived to talk about it," Drescher said. "And now being recognized for my cancer advocacy by the City of Los Angeles - a place that I have called home for almost 30 years - I must say, is the icing on the cake!"

Drescher was misdiagnosed with a perimenopausal condition. After a two-year, eight doctor odyssey, she was finally told she had uterine cancer. She turned this experience into a bestselling book, *Cancer Schmancer*, and is now president and visionary of the Cancer Schmancer Movement. Drescher also was a leader in the effort to pass "Johanna's Law" (aka The Gynecologic Education and Awareness Act), which President Bush signed into law in January 2007. The U.S. Department of State recently appointed her "Special Envoy for Women's Health Issues", a position she will use to encourage women globally to take control of their bodies.

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