

WHEREAS, beyond regular work duties, many General Government and Gainesville Regional Utilities employees seek to support the Gainesville community in a variety of ways including volunteering for non-profit organizations and providing financial support for the efforts of these organizations; and

WHEREAS, the General Government and Gainesville Regional Utilities facilitate the ability of employees to provide financial contributions through the annual United Way Workplace Charitable Giving Campaign by allowing employees to make contributions to the Campaign through payroll deduction and one-time contributions; and

WHEREAS, the General Government and Gainesville Regional Utilities employees raised a total of \$103,572.20 for the fall 2013 United Way Workplace Charitable Giving Campaign; and

WHEREAS, the fall 2014 United Way Workplace Charitable Giving Campaign has set a goal to exceed last year's total; and

WHEREAS, the funds raised through the General Government and Gainesville Regional Utilities campaigns constitute one of the largest contributions by organizations participating in the United Way of North Central Florida's Workplace Charitable Giving Campaign.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Edward B. Braddy, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim September and October, 2014 as

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in the City of Gainesville and invite all our employees and citizens to join me in supporting our community through the United Way and local non-profit and charitable organizations.

AN WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 18th day of August, A.D., 2014.



Edward B. Braddy

Mayor