

# City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Edward B. Braddy  
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, stable, affordable Homes are essential for a strong economy, a healthy lifestyle and an educated, safe and successful community; and

WHEREAS, affordable housing is an important issue in both the City of Gainesville and Alachua County; and

WHEREAS, a resolution to the issue of a lack of stable, affordable Homes requires input and support from government leaders, local not-for-profit organizations and members of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gainesville and the "Imagine...A Place Called Home!" campaign created by the University of Florida's Public Relations Student Society of America's Bateman National Case Study Competition Team and the University of Florida's Department of Public Relations within the College of Journalism and Communications recognize the importance of Home to the Gainesville community and are committed to improving access to stable, affordable Homes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Edward B. Braddy, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim February, 2015 as

## *Home Matters for Gainesville Month*

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in acknowledging the vital importance of stable, quality Homes to support programs.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, A.D., 2015.



*Ed B. Braddy*  
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Mayor