



Office of Mayor Edward B. Braddy PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in 1974 Dr. Richard Jones, P.E., and Robert C. Edmunds, P.E., two young University of Florida engineering graduates, sharing similar professional philosophies selected Gainesville as the location in which to launch their engineering consulting firm, Jones Edmunds; and

WHEREAS, throughout its 40 years in service, Jones Edmunds has leveraged its core values of integrity, knowledge and service to help local governments throughout the State of Florida address the engineering and growth challenges presented by an expanding population and continued development; and

WHEREAS, Jones Edmunds has consistently achieved rankings in the Engineering News-Record list of Top 500 Design Firms; and

WHEREAS, today the firm remains headquartered in Gainesville and employs more than 50 people in Gainesville and more than 150 professionals across six Florida offices; and

WHEREAS, Jones Edmunds celebrates its 40th year anniversary.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Edward B. Braddy, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim June 19, 2014 as

Jones Edmunds Day

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in thanking Dr. Richard Jones and Robert C. Edmunds for establishing their firm in Gainesville and Rick Ferriera, CEO, for his continued commitment to the founders' vision to improve the quality of life for the people it serves by building long-standing relationships and adhering to its core values of integrity, knowledge and service, and to the firm for the work it does to improve quality of life for the residents of Gainesville. We wish you continued success in your endeavors in the years to come.

IN WHONESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 3rd day of June, A.D., 2014.



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Edward B. Braddy

Mayor