

City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Edward B. Braddy
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in honor of Albert "Ray" Massey's distinguished and dedicated service to this community and his tireless effort to promote the benefits of parks and recreation services to the citizens of Gainesville, the City of Gainesville Public Recreation and Parks Board officially established the Albert "Ray" Massey Citizen Volunteer Award in the year 2000 and recognizes the 2014 recipient today; and

WHEREAS, Annie McKoy has been a dedicated volunteer the last 12 years (2002-2014) to the Phoenix Neighborhood where she has helped to establish a neighborhood community center in the heart of SW Gainesville, and brought to life an existing facility to create a safe place for children to come for meals, mentoring and learning; and

WHEREAS, Annie McKoy has been instrumental in creating and maintaining partnerships within the community to ensure the children receive the care and support they need; and

WHEREAS, the 2014 Albert "Ray" Massey Volunteer Award recipient truly epitomizes the spirit of Mr. Massey by giving back to the community, by being active leaders, role models and mentors to promote Recreation in Gainesville.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Edward B. Braddy, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim March 5, 2015 as

Annie McKoy Day

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in recognizing Annie McKoy and expressing our appreciation for her many hours of service and dedication to the Gainesville community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 11th day of February, A.D., 2015.



Edward B. Braddy
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Mayor