

# City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Pegeen Hanrahan

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries, Inc., established by Pastor and Founder Dr. Larry J. Dennison, became a non-profit organization in the State of Florida in 1985; and

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries is an independent, bible believing, spirit-filled being whose purpose is to teach and preach the full gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, to minister to all persons regardless of race, creed, or color whenever possible, to provide recognition of the Lordship of Jesus Christ, the unity of the Body of Christ and to give leadership, counsel and direction as needs arise; and

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries believes the Bible is given by the inspiration of God, a revelation from God to man, and the invaluable rule of faith and conduct, and that man's only hope of redemption is through the shed blood of Jesus Christ; and

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries promotes and supports wholesome activities and programs for the enrichment of our youth, our marriages, and our families to the Glory of God; and

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries serves as a member of the Action Network, an interfaith based organization designed to improve the quality of life of residents of North Central Florida; and

WHEREAS, Compassionate Outreach Ministries, Inc. will celebrate a special 20-year church anniversary during the 10:00 A.M. service on Sunday, December 18, 2005.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pegeen Hanrahan, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim December 15, 2005 as

## *Compassionate Outreach Ministries, Inc. Twentieth Anniversary*

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join in recognizing and expressing appreciation for the community outreach Compassionate Outreach Ministries has performed during the past two decades.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 22nd day of November, A.D., 2005.



*Pegeen Hanrahan*  
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Mayor