

City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Lauren Poe
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, each Spring, the Active Streets Alliance hosts with partners the Menagerie in Motion Kinetic Derby, highlighting Gainesville's captivating areas of cultural and natural beauty, charm and rich character; and

WHEREAS, Gainesville is home to Menagerie in Motion Kinetic Derby, the Southeast's only kinetic sculpture derby; and

WHEREAS, the Active Streets Alliance is a not-for-profit aiming to support more equitable access to our community's public space; and

WHEREAS, the Kinetic Derby is a design competition and parade of human-powered vessels that was created to enchant the hearts of Florida residents and the southeast with the magic created through making and riding folly filled vessels of fantasy; and

WHEREAS, the Kinetic Derby showcases local artists and makers in our region, providing an outlet for the next generation of artist, makers, doers and dreamers to dare to work collaboratively.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lauren Poe, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim February 2017 as

Menagerie in Motion Kinetic Derby Month

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in celebrating the Menagerie in Motion Kinetic Derby taking place February 25, 2017.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 23rd day of January, A.D., 2017.





Lauren Poe
Mayor