

## City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Pegeen Hanrahan

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Citizens Academy Alumni Association and North Lincoln Heights is sponsoring a unique, nationwide crime, drug, and violence prevention program on August 7, 2007, entitled 'National Night Out'; and

WHEREAS, the 24th annual 'National Night Out' provides a unique opportunity for Gainesville to join forces with thousands of other communities across the nation in promoting cooperative, police-community crime prevention efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Citizens Academy Alumni Association plays a vital role in assisting the Gainesville Police Department through joint crime, drug, and violence prevention efforts, and is supporting 'National Night Out 2007' locally; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that all citizens of Gainesville be aware of the importance of crime prevention programs and the impact that their participation can have on reducing crime, drugs, and violence; and

WHEREAS, police-community partnerships, neighborhood safety, awareness, and cooperation are important themes of the 'National Night Out' program.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pegeen Hanrahan, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim August 7, 2007 as

## National Night Out 2007

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join the Citizens Academy Alumni Association and North Lincoln Heights in supporting the  $24^{th}$  Annual 'National Night Out.'

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 21st day of June, A.D., 2007.



Pegen Hamahan Degeen Hanrahan Mayor