

City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Lauren Poe

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, anyone who has heard the laughter of a child or seen sudden delight on the face of a lonely senior citizen has understood in those brief moments mysteries deeper than love; and

WHEREAS, clowns have long been known as ambassadors of joy and goodwill and bring happiness both to children and adults; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the charitable activities of clowns, and the wholesome entertainment they provide to all our citizens, in their work in our community, generally helping to lift the spirits and boost the morale of our people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lauren Poe, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim August 1-7, 2019 as

International Clown Week

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me and recognize the contributions made by clowns in their entertainment and generally helping to lift the spirits and boost the morale of our people.

IN WITNESS 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 July, A.D., 2019.

Lauren Poe
Mayor