

# City of Gainesville, Florida

Office of Mayor Craig Lowe  
PROCLAMATION

*WHEREAS, the Florida Military and Community Covenant supports our military and veteran families across the State of Florida; and*

*WHEREAS, the Florida Military and Community Covenant connects military and veteran families to existing systems support through the Operations Strong Families initiative and in the Armed Forces and Veterans Affairs; and*

*WHEREAS, the Florida Military and Community Covenant joins community forces to enable our military and veteran families to receive the much needed community care they deserve; and*

*WHEREAS, during the months of February and March 2013, regional planning councils and cities across Florida are joined forces with the State to recognize April 17, 2013 as Florida Military Family and Community Covenant Day to be a part of the groundswell of support to implement Operation Strong Families an initiative that supports military, veterans and their families in the State of Florida.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Lowe, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim April 17, 2013 as*

## **Florida Military Family and Community Covenant Day**

*in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in supporting this initiative.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of March, C.E., 2013.*



*Craig Lowe*

Craig Lowe  
Mayor