

WHEREAS, in recent years, administrative professionals have increased their contributions to the world's workforce by mastering computer technology and taking on vital information management roles; and

WHEREAS, executive assistants, office managers, administrative assistants, secretaries and other administrative professionals represent one of the largest segments of the labor force; and

WHEREAS, a well-trained and fairly compensated administrative workforce is essential to economic success, both locally and nationally; and

WHEREAS, the International Association of Administrative Professionals (IAAP) provides administrative professionals with education, networking opportunities, certification and other career-enhancing programs while also advancing the image of the profession; and

WHEREAS, members of IAAP's Florida Division recognize the importance of continuing education and building business networks; and

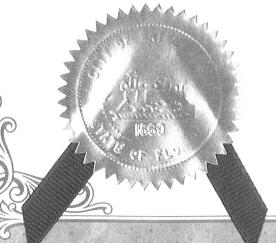
WHEREAS, this year's TAAP annual meeting will be held at the Best Western Gateway Grand in Gainesville, Florida on June 24-26, 2011.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Lowe, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim June 24-26, 2011 as

International Association of Administrative Professionals Days

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in saluting the valuable contributions of administrative professionals in the workplace.

AN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this 17th day of May, A.D., 2011.



Craig Lowe Mayor