

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk, the oldest among public servants, is a time-honored and vital part of local government existing throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between citizens, local governing bodies and other agencies of government; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community, and pledges to be ever mindful of neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the quality of service of the Office of the Municipal Clerk by continuing professional development in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, county and international professional organizations; and

WHEREAS, City of Gainesville's Clerk of the Commission Kurt M. Jannon is a Certified Municipal Clerk who has served on numerous Committees of the Florida Association of City Clerks and is in the process of completing the Master of Municipal Clerk (MMC), the highest level of the International Institute of Municipal Clerks; and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments and service of the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pegeen Hanrahan, by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Gainesville, do hereby proclaim the week of May 1-7, 2005 as

Municipal Clerk's Week

in the City of Gainesville and invite all our citizens to join me in extending the City's appreciation to our Clerk, Kurt Jannon, and to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Gainesville, Florida, this fifteenth day of April, A.D., 2005.