

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A resolution of the City Commission of the City of Gainesville, Florida, supporting the establishment of a partnership with the United States Census Bureau to obtain an accurate count of city residents.

WHEREAS, the decennial census is of critical importance to local governments for the purposes of funding, planning and redistricting; and,

WHEREAS, local governments and community representatives have been invited to form partnerships with the United States Census Bureau to assist in obtaining an accurate census in 2000; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission wishes to assist in the process of obtaining an accurate census count for all members of our community, with special emphasis on outreach to historically undercounted populations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA:

1. The City declares April 1, 2000 as Census Day in Gainesville;
2. The City shall establish a partnership with the United States Census Bureau to obtain an accurate Census 2000 count of all Gainesville residents, including special needs populations;
3. The City supports a full count of all population within city limits; and,
4. The City urges all citizens to complete their Census forms and return them to the Census Bureau in a timely fashion.

Dated the _____ day of _____ AD, 2000.

Paula Delaney, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kurt M. Lannon, Clerk of the Commission