

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Girl Scouts of America endeavors to influence the development of character, leadership, good citizenship, and the respect of others, building girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place; and

WHEREAS, Joanna Gill has been involved in Girl Scouts for eleven years being a member of both Troop 897 and of Troop 877 where she and her fellow members received their Silver Award; and

WHEREAS, Joanna is a senior at Seabreeze High School where she is the president the Culinary Academy and is active in the National Honor Society, Tom's Club, Center Stage, and American Musical Theater. Joanna also Dual Enrolls at Daytona State College and maintains a 3.96 GPA; and

WHEREAS, Joanna is a faithful volunteer at her church, Coronado Community United Methodist Church in New Smyrna, and in the church's youth group. She often helps with Vacation Bible School and has been on mission trips to South Carolina, Tennessee, and twice to San Ramon, Costa Rica; and

WHEREAS, Joanna selected as her project toward achieving her Gold Award a video entitled "True You" which she created to encourage girls of all ages to be true to who they are and to not succumb to the pressures of others; and

WHEREAS, Joanna earned the honor of achieving the highest rank in Girl Scouts, attained by only 5.4 percent of all Girl Scouts, the Gold Award;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ed Kelley, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim August 4, 2013, as

JOANNA GILL DAY

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join with me on this day in paying tribute to Joanna Gill as an outstanding representative of the youth of the City of Ormond Beach and in thanking her for her service to our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 4th day of August in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Thirteen.



Ed Kelley
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Mayor