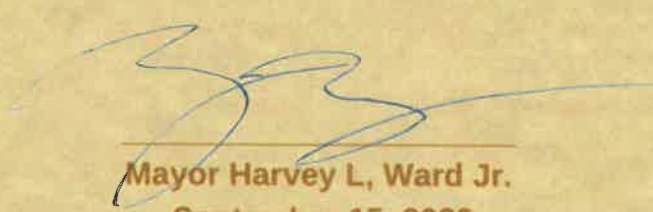


CITY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA
OFFICE OF MAYOR HARVEY L, WARD JR.
Certificate of Recognition

The City of Gainesville is pleased to announce that Gainesville has received an upgraded Community Rating System (CRS) classification from Class 7 to Class 6, effective October 1, 2023. The new Class 6 rating may provide property owners and renters in Gainesville reduced flood insurance premiums up to 20 percent, resulting in significant savings over time.

The CRS program, administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), recognizes and rewards communities for their efforts in reducing flood risk and enhancing floodplain management practices. The upgraded Class 6 rating is a testament to Gainesville's continued commitment to building a safer and more resilient community.



Mayor Harvey L, Ward Jr.
September 15, 2023