

Proclamation



Pam Iorio, Mayor

WHEREAS, March 12, 2011 marks the 99th anniversary of Girl Scouts of the USA, founded by Juliette Gordon Low in 1912 in Savannah, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, throughout its distinguished history, Girl Scouting has inspired millions of girls and women with courage, confidence, and character; and

WHEREAS, through the Girl Scout Leadership Experience girls develop the skills and lessons that will serve them throughout their lives to that they may contribute to their communities; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting takes an active role in increasing girls' awareness of the opportunities available to them today in math, science, sports, technology, and other fields that can expand their horizons; and

WHEREAS, more than three million current Girl Scout members nationwide will be celebrating 99 years of this American tradition, with nearly 50 million women who are former Girl Scouts and living proof of the impact of this amazing Movement.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pam Iorio, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tampa, Florida, do hereby proclaim the week of March 6, 2011 as

"GIRL SCOUT WEEK"

in the City of Tampa, Florida, and urge all citizens to join me in applauding the commitment Girl Scouting has made to support the leadership development of America's girls.

Dated in Tampa, Florida, this 23rd day of February, 2011.



Mayor

