



Proclamation

WHEREAS, Live Oak International, the largest Combined Driving and Show Jumping competition in the United States, will be held in Ocala from March 7-10, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Live Oak International Parade of Nations will take place in downtown Ocala on March 7, 2019 at 4 p.m., and features a collection of unique horse breeds, equestrian athletes from more than 20 nations, art displays, vendor booths, family-friendly entertainment and more presented by Ocala Main Street; and

WHEREAS, Live Oak International has grown from humble beginnings into the international combined driving and show jumping tournament it is today that attracts some of the best drivers, riders, trainers, coaches and owners from around the world; and

WHEREAS, the combination of the two disciplines makes Live Oak International a one-of-a-kind event perfect for the seasoned equine enthusiast and the novice alike; and

WHEREAS, through sponsor support, Live Oak International is able to offer a first-rate experience for all competitors and spectators, raise money for local charities and non-profit organizations, and provide family-friendly activities for members of the Ocala community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Kent Guinn, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Ocala, Florida, do hereby proclaim that on March 7-10, 2019

THE LIVE OAK INTERNATIONAL COMBINED DRIVING AND SHOW JUMPING TOURNAMENT

will be held under the live oaks on the grounds of the pastoral Live Oak Stud, a 5,000 acre Thoroughbred breeding farm located minutes from downtown Ocala, and I encourage residents and visitors to attend yet another year of top competition.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Ocala, Florida, to be affixed this 1st day of March 2019.

Kent Guinn, Mayor
City of Ocala

