

## PROCLAMATION

*WHEREAS, the Miss St. Augustine Scholarship Pageant is presented by the Coastal Scholarship Foundation, a not-for-profit organization, affiliated with the Miss Florida and Miss America Organizations, and*

*WHEREAS, the Miss America Organization is the world's largest provider of scholarships for women, awarding over \$45,000,000 last year alone through it's local, state and national network, and*

*WHEREAS, this event gives our young ladies an opportunity for self-development through social, educational and performance skills, and*

*WHEREAS, this worthy program is supported by many sponsors, advertisers, patrons and the pageant committee, and its success is measured in the time and effort expended by participating young ladies, and*

*WHEREAS, through the participation of Coastal Scholarship Foundation in the Miss Florida Scholarship Pageant, Miss Teen Florida America Pageant, community events and volunteering activities, the image of St. Augustine is greatly enhanced*

*NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission extends congratulations to the Miss St. Augustine Scholarship Pageant, and proclaims Saturday, February 11, 2006 as **MISS ST. AUGUSTINE DAY** in greater St. Augustine.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of St. Augustine, Florida, to be affixed on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand and six, in the four hundred and fortieth year of the founding of St. Augustine, the Nation's Oldest City.*

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*George Gardner, MAYOR*