



PROCLAMATION

ONE CITY. ONE JACKSONVILLE.

WHEREAS: Missing persons, regardless of age or circumstances surrounding their disappearance, are not forgotten; and

WHEREAS: Disappearances bring uncertainty and lack of closure that can be extremely painful for families and loved ones; and

WHEREAS: The John Rowan, Jr. Foundation and the Justice Coalition of Jacksonville have partnered again this year to host the 13th annual Missing Adults Day in Jacksonville, in remembrance of the loved ones who have not yet been found and to offer much-needed support to the families of the missing; and

WHEREAS: The John Rowan, Jr. Foundation was founded in honor of John P. Rowan, Jr., a Jacksonville resident, husband and father who was last seen on February 23, 2001; and

WHEREAS: The Justice Coalition provides services and support to victims of violent crimes, educates the community about criminal justice offerings, and works to be a proactive force in the fight against crime; and

WHEREAS: Missing Adults Day reminds communities to remain vigilant in the continued search for Jacksonville's missing and offers support for those families whose missing loved ones are not forgotten.

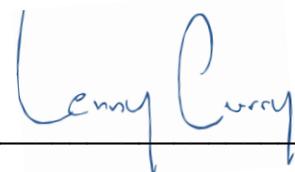
NOW, THEREFORE, I, LENNY CURRY, by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of Jacksonville, Florida, do hereby proclaim February 24, 2023 as

FLORIDA MISSING ADULTS DAY

in Jacksonville and encourage all citizens to remember those who have not yet been found and increase public awareness to assist in finding missing loved ones in our community.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, this 31st Day of Jan. in the year
Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lenny Curry".

MAYOR

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA