Office of the Mayor
City of Fort Lauderdale

Proclamation

Presented to
Meg Cabot
on the Occasion of her Birthday
and in Recognition of her Appearance at
Broward Public Library Foundation's
LitLUNCH! 2016

WHEREAS, Meg Cabot is an American author of romantic and paranormal fiction for teens and adults and has published over 80 books that have sold more than 25 million copies in over 80 countries worldwide: and

WHEREAS, Meg created the much beloved *Princess Diaries* series, *Mediator* series, *1-800-WHERE-R-U* series, *All-American Girl* series, *Avalon High* series, *Airhead* trilogy, *Abandon* trilogy, *Heather Wells* series and other adult and children's novels: and

WHEREAS, Meg has had two hit movies made based on her books and, the *Princess Diaries* was voted "one of the nation's 100-best-loved novels" as part of the British Broadcasting Corporation's Big Read: and

WHEREAS, Meg endured ten years in the job of residence hall manager for a freshman dormitory at New York University and later established the fictional country of Genovia, which to the best of anyone's knowledge does not have an NYU extension school: and

WHEREAS, Meg likes cats: and

WHEREAS, Meg's charity work includes donating the proceeds from some of her works to charitable organizations including Greenpeace, Make-a-Wish Foundation, the National Children's Book and Literacy Alliance, the Starlight Children's Foundation, the UM Refugee Agency, UNHCR and other organizations that mentor children and girls, benefit health agencies, and literacy programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, as City Commissioners of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, do hereby proclaim, **Friday, February 5, 2016** as:

MEG CABOT DAY

in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Dated this, the 5th day of February 2016.

CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
SEAL
ESTABLISHED MARCH 27, 1911

Mayor John P. "Jack" Seiler

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