

CITY OF WINTER PARK
proclamation

Austin Rivers Day | December 13, 2016

WHEREAS, Austin Rivers played basketball for Winter Park High School (WPHS) as guard from 2007 to 2011; and

WHEREAS, Rivers was the WPHS all-time leading scorer with 2,957 career points; and

WHEREAS, he was also the WPHS all-time steal leader with 219 steals in his career; and

WHEREAS, Rivers helped lead the team to one Sweet 16 appearance and three Final Four tournaments, and his high school career culminated in back-to-back State Championships in 2010 and 2011; and

WHEREAS, in 2011 he earned *Parade*, *USA Today*, and MaxPreps National Player of the Year awards, as well as the Naismith and Morgan Wootten Player of the Year honors; and

WHEREAS, Rivers' jersey, number 25, will be permanently retired at WPHS in acknowledgement of his achievements including making a significant impact to the sport, bringing state and national level recognition to the school, displaying leadership qualities, serving as a role model, and being a person of high character.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Steve Leary, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Winter Park, in the state of Florida, do hereby proclaim **Tuesday, December 13, 2016**, as **"Austin Rivers Day"** in Winter Park, Florida.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Winter Park, Florida, to be affixed this 9th day of December 2016.

Steve Leary
Mayor