



NELSON MANDELA 1918-2013

Jacksonville Sister Cities Association Celebrating the Life of Nelson Mandela

Location: Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront Hotel

Date: August 21, 2014 **Time:** 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Ticket Price: \$75 per person

Keynote Speaker: Mayor Benson Fihla of Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality

The City of Jacksonville, along with the Jacksonville Sister Cities Association (JSCA), will be celebrating the life of the Honorable Nelson Mandela by sponsoring a fundraiser banquet to aid in health programs for the citizens of Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality.

Jacksonville has been twinned with Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality, South Africa since 2000. This is a unique relationship because Jacksonville is the only U.S. city to have a sister cities relationship with the Municipality.

In October 2004, a JSCA outbound delegation delivered wheelchairs to 240 disabled citizens of the Municipality. From 2009 to 2013, JSCA administered a grant from the Gates Foundation to aid in the purchase of a Mobile Medical Clinic and the renovation of several elementary schools' lavatories. A portion of the ticket price will be used to purchase medicines and supplies for the Mobile Clinic and continue the humanitarian aid efforts to the region.

To purchase by mail, make check payable to: **Jacksonville Sister Cities Association**. Mail to: Mr. Steve Manis, JSCA Treasurer 1448 N. Liberty Street Jacksonville, Florida 32206 *JSCA is a 501 (c)(3)*

For more information and to purchase tickets, visit: www.jsca.org.