

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: Water is a basic and essential need of every living creature; and

WHEREAS: Clean and sustainable water resources are vital to Northeast Florida. Our economy and residents' quality of life depend upon clean and healthy environments; and

WHEREAS: The State of Florida, Water Management Districts and the City of Jacksonville are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

WHEREAS: This year marks the 20th anniversary since the first dedication of Florida's Water Conservation Month in April, which is typically a dry month when water demands are most acute. This designation represents an effort to educate citizens on ways they can help save Florida's precious water resources; and

WHEREAS: Every business, industry, school and citizen can make a difference when it comes to conserving water both indoors and outdoors, thus promoting a healthy economy and communities; and

WHEREAS: Water conservation will continue to play an important role in the future protection and preservation of ground and surface water resources throughout our community.

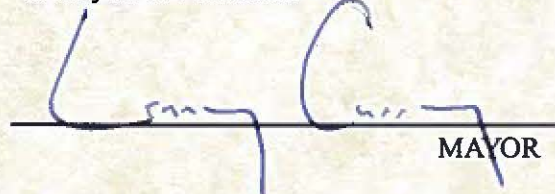
NOW, THEREFORE, I, LENNY CURRY, by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of Jacksonville, Florida, do hereby proclaim April 2018 as

WATER CONSERVATION MONTH

in Jacksonville and encourage all citizens and businesses to help protect our precious resource by increasing awareness and practices of water-saving measures.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, this 26th day of March
in the year Two Thousand 18


MAYOR

CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA