

# *Proclamation*

## **DESIGNATING APRIL 2022 AS WATER CONSERVATION MONTH**

*Whereas*, water is a basic and essential need of every living creature; and

*Whereas*, The State of Florida, Water Management Districts and Indian River County are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation through various educational programs, community events and improving stormwater and wastewater treatment; and

*Whereas*, Indian River County and the State of Florida have designated April, typically a dry month when water demands are most acute, as Florida's Water Conservation Month, to educate citizens about how they can help save Florida's precious water resources; and

*Whereas*, all water users including commercial, industrial, agricultural, institutional, hospitality, private citizens, and others can make positive contribution to reduce water use and protect our water resources; and

*Whereas*, the majority of Florida's drinking water is supplied by underground aquifers, and our quality of life and economy depend upon a clean and healthy environment; and

*Whereas*, Indian River County is calling upon each individual and business to help protect our precious resource by practicing water saving measures and becoming more aware of the need to save water.

*Now, Therefore*, be it proclaimed by the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County that April 2022 be designated as **WATER CONSERVATION MONTH** in Indian River County, and all citizens are encouraged to use this occasion to increase their awareness of the importance of Water Conservation and the need to use Water more efficiently.

Adopted this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022

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