Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Florida Water & Pollution Control Operators Association, organized in 1941, is a non-profit trade organization that promotes the sustainability of Florida's water utility industry through workforce development to protect the health of Florida's citizens and to preserve the State's water resources; and

WHEREAS, this organization offers water and wastewater treatment plant operator and water distribution operator training courses required for the State of Florida's operator license, eight voluntary certification programs and continuing education programs for operator license renewal; and

WHEREAS, this organization , in recognizing the importance of the Florida Statutes and Administrative Code that regulate the water industry, acts as liaison between the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and industry personnel; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Water and Pollution Control Operator's Association recognizes all those who have played a significant part in operating and maintaining drinking water, wastewater and storm water systems in Florida by celebrating Florida Water Professionals Month, which applauds their constant efforts to protect our health and environment.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steven B. Grant, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Boynton Beach, Florida, hereby proclaim April, 2017

FLORIDA WATER PROFESSIONAL MONTH

in the City of Boynton Beach.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunder set my hand this 18th day of April, 2017.

Steven B. Grant, Mayor

Attest:

Judith A. Pyle, CMC City Clerk

(Corporate Seal)