



## PROCLAMATION

### A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY OF NEPTUNE BEACH, FLORIDA DECLARING APRIL WATER CONSERVATION MONTH.

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

**WHEREAS**, water conservation is a critical strategy in meeting the current and future water supply needs of our state; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Neptune Beach expanded watering restrictions to help ensure that water used for irrigation is used efficiently. The restrictions include limiting irrigation to one day a week during Eastern Standard time and two days per week during daylight saving time; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Neptune Beach is working together with the St. Johns River Water Management District, State of Florida, other water management districts, local governments and water supply utilities to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

**WHEREAS**, April is typically a dry month when water demands increase; and

**WHEREAS**, the St. Johns River Water Management District encourages and supports water conservation through educational programs and special events; and

**WHEREAS**, every business, industry, school, resident and visitor can help by conserving water and thus promote a healthy economy and community.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, Mayor Harriet Pruetto of Neptune Beach by virtue of the authority vested in her as Mayor of the City of Neptune Beach, Florida, does hereby proclaim the month of April 2010 as

### **Water Conservation Month**

The City of Neptune Beach is calling upon each resident, visitor and business to help protect our precious resource by practicing water conservation measures and becoming more aware of the need to conserve water.

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Harriet Pruetto, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lisa Volpe, CMC, City Clerk