

Resolution

Northeast Florida Regional Council

2026-09

**Supporting the St. Johns River Water Management District's
Designation of the Month of April as
Water Conservation Month**

WHEREAS, water is a basic and essential need of every living creature, and clean and sustainable water resources are vital to Florida's environment, economy, and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the Northeast Florida Regional Council is working with the State of Florida, the St. Johns River Water Management District, and local governments to increase awareness of the importance of water conservation; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has designated April, typically a dry month when water demands are most acute, Florida's Water Conservation Month, to educate citizens about how they can help save Florida's precious water resources; and

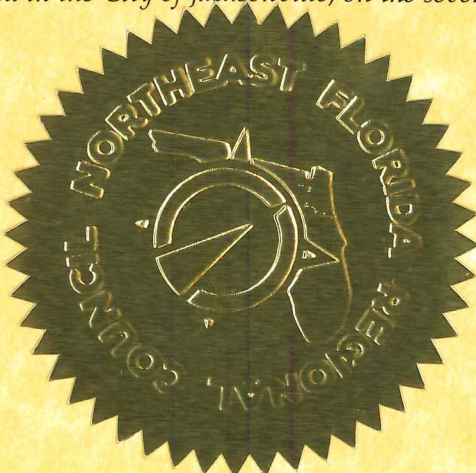
WHEREAS, efficient irrigation design, programming, and maintenance can conserve water, the Northeast Florida Regional Council encourage citizens and businesses to evaluate their irrigation systems for potential efficiency enhancements;

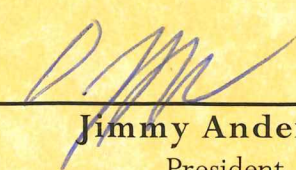
WHEREAS, every business, industry, school, resident, and visitor can make a difference by conserving water and thus promote a healthy economy and community; and

WHEREAS, Northeast Florida Regional Council has always encouraged and supported water conservation, through its Strategic Regional Policy Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Northeast Florida Regional Council supports the designation of the month of April 2026 as Water Conservation Month and encourages residents and businesses to help protect our precious water resources by practicing water saving measures and becoming more aware of the need to save water. For this, the 28th year of Water Conservation Month, the focus will be on irrigation system evaluations.

Unanimously adopted by the Northeast Florida Regional Council Executive Committee, in a regular meeting assembled in the City of Jacksonville, on the seventh day of May 2026.





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