

**A PROCLAMATION OF
THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF WELLINGTON, FLORIDA
RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE LOCAL
WINNERS OF THE AMERICAN WATERWORKS
ASSOCIATION'S "DROP SAVERS" WATER CONSERVATION
POSTER CONTEST**

WHEREAS, each year the Florida Section of the American Water Works Association (FSAWWA) partners with Water Utilities across the State to sponsor the "Drop Savers" Water Conservation Poster Contest, where students from kindergarten to 12th grade are encouraged to create a poster depicting a water conservation theme; and

WHEREAS, the contest allows students to promote water awareness and the importance of water conservation in their daily lives; and

WHEREAS, in support of May being National Water Conservation Month, the Village of Wellington Utility Department created a local Drop Savers contest in 2017; and

WHEREAS, students from Wellington elementary, middle, and high schools were invited to participate in the contest, which resulted in 463 posters being submitted this year; and

WHEREAS, after judging the posters for message, creativity, and originality, posters submitted by Celeste Ocampo, Division 1 from Wellington Elementary School; Lilly Florez, Division 2 from Panther Run Elementary School; Winter Vega, Division 3 from Panther Run Elementary School; Bentley Davis, Division 4 from Emerald Cove Middle School; and Scarlett Kirk, Division 5 from Wellington High School, were selected as first place winners in their designated divisions for the local contest; and

NOW, THEREFORE, on behalf of the residents of the Village of Wellington, the Village Council hereby recognizes and congratulates Celeste Ocampo, Lilly Florez, Winter Vega, Bentley Davis, and Scarlett Kirk, on winning First Place in the local contest of the American Waterworks Association's "Drop Savers" Water Conservation Poster Contest.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Village of Wellington, Florida, to be affixed this _____ day of _____, 2026.

ATTEST:

WELLINGTON, FLORIDA

By: -----
Chevellé D. Hall, Village Clerk

By: -----
Michael J. Napoleone, Mayor