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

WHEREAS, each year the Florida Section of the American Water Works Association (FSAWWA) sponsors the "Drop Savers" Water Conservation Poster Contest where students from kindergarten to  $12^{th}$  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 routines; and* 

**WHEREAS**, in support of April being National Water Conservation Month, the Village of Wellington Utility Department desired to create a local Drop Savers contest; and

**WHEREAS**, students from Wellington elementary and middle schools were invited to participate in the contest; and

**WHEREAS,** after the panel of judges rated the posters for message, creativity, and originality, the following winners were selected for the local contest: Wilmide Derastel, a 3<sup>rd</sup> grade student at Panther Run Elementary, placed first in Division 2; Maibelin Fernandez, a 2<sup>nd</sup> grade student at Panther Run Elementary, placed second in Division 2; Gabriella Pedicino, a 4<sup>th</sup> grade student at Panther Run Elementary, placed first in Division 3; Paige Albert, a 5<sup>th</sup> grade student at Panther Run Elementary, placed second in Division 3; Lauren Allen, a 5<sup>th</sup> grade student at Panther Run Elementary, placed third in Division 3; Deseray Johnson, an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student at Wellington Landings Middle School, placed first in Division 4; Lilly Paultiz, an 8th grade student at Wellington Landings Middle School, placed second in Division 4; and Ciana Han, a 6<sup>th</sup> grade student at Wellington Landings Middle School, placed third in Division 4.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on behalf of the residents of the Village of Wellington, the Village Council hereby recognizes and congratulates the local winners of the American Waterworks Association's "Drop Savers" Water Conservation Poster Contest.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of Wellington, Florida to be affixed this 27th day of March 2018.

ATTEST:

WELLINGTON, FLORIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Chevelle D. Nubín, Víllage Clerk

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Anne Gerwíg, Mayor