

# Proclamation

## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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

WHEREAS, The State of Florida, Water Management Districts and the Village of Key Biscayne are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Key Biscayne and 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, the Village of Key Biscayne has always encouraged and supported water conservation, through various educational programs and special events; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can make a difference when it comes to conserving water; and

WHEREAS, every business, industry, school and citizen can help by saving water and thus promote a healthy economy and community; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Key Biscayne supports the creation of an achievable, meaningful and enduring water conservation program to help sustain the water resources for South Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROBERT L. VERNON, MAYOR OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAZYNE, FLORIDA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF APRIL, AS

### "WATER CONSERVATION MONTH"

THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAZYNE, FLORIDA IS CALLING UPON EACH CITIZEN AND BUSINESS TO HELP PROTECT OUR PRECIOUS RESOURCE BY PRACTICING WATER SAVING MEASURES AND BECOMING MORE AWARE OF THE NEED TO SAVE WATER.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAZYNE THIS 4th DAY OF March, 2008.

-----Original Message-----

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**Subject:** Request for Proclamation -- Water Conservation Month

**Importance:** High

Dear Honorable Mayors, Commissioners, and Managers:

The South Florida Water Management District (District) is asking your local government, in conjunction with the State of Florida, to designate April as Water Conservation Month. Although the promotion of water conservation should be an every day occurrence, it takes on additional importance now as we are in the midst of an extreme water shortage.

Therefore, the District is requesting that your local government present a proclamation designating April 2008 as Water Conservation Month at an upcoming council or commission meeting in March. (Attached to this e-mail is a draft proclamation for your local government to sign.) If you are going to present the proclamation at an upcoming meeting, please contact me by e-mail or phone so that the District can have a representative present at the meeting to accept the proclamation.

As always, thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,  
Lewis

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