

WHEREAS, on Saturday July 28, 2018, the Marine Industries Association of the Treasure Coast in conjunction with the Florida Inland Navigation District will conduct the 11th Annual Treasure Coast Waterway Cleanup, and

WHEREAS, this event will attract approximately 1000 volunteers who will participate in cleaning up the waterways of Indian River, Martin and St. Lucie Counties, and

WHEREAS, twenty designated sites throughout the three counties will serve as disposal sites for the volunteers to work out of and;

WHEREAS, numerous waterfront homeowners' associations have been recruited to clean up their own waterfronts, and

WHEREAS, in 2017 over 6 tons of trash was collected from approximately 125 miles of waterways with an expectation of a significantly large amount to be collected this year with an increased volunteer effort.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Linda Hudson, Mayor of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, do hereby proclaim July 28, 2018 as

Treasure Coast Waterway Cleanup Day

in the City of Fort Pierce and encourage citizens to use this occasion to foster appreciation for the Treasure Coast Waterways and assist in the cleanup efforts.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official Seal of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, to be affixed this 16th day of June, 2018.

MAYOR/ COMMISSIONER