



CITY OF FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA



# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS,** Functional Neurological Disorder is a problem with the functioning of the nervous system and how the brain and body send and receive signals; and

**WHEREAS,** Functional Neurological Disorder affects approximately 50 out of every 100,000 Americans (but that number is thought to be low); and

**WHEREAS,** Functional Neurological Disorder occupies a grey area between psychiatry and neurology that historically has failed to gain the interest of researchers and clinicians; and

**WHEREAS,** Functional Neurological Disorder is the second most common reason for a neurological outpatient visit after headache/migraine;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Linda Hudson, Mayor of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, do hereby proclaim the month of April as:

***Functional Neurological Disorder Awareness Month***

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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 2023.

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MAYOR/COMMISSIONER

