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October 1, 2014

Executive Director



**The Government Finance Officers Association
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presents this

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION FOR BUDGET PREPARATION

to

Ernesto Reyes

**Assistant to the City Manager for Budget and Strategic Planning
City of Pompano Beach, Florida**



The Certificate of Recognition for Budget Preparation is presented by the Government Finance Officers Association to those individuals who have been instrumental in their government unit achieving a Distinguished Budget Presentation Award. The Distinguished Budget Presentation Award, which is the highest award in governmental budgeting, is presented to those government units whose budgets are judged to adhere to program standards.

Executive Director

Date

March 30, 2015

Broward Sheriff's Office
2601 West Broward Boulevard
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312
954.831.8900 .www.sheriff.org



March 13, 2015

Mr. Mark Beaudreau
Recreation Programs Administrator
City of Pompano Beach
100 West Atlantic Boulevard
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Dear Mark,

I'm writing this to personally thank your lifeguard, Robert Torres, for his assistance on February 24, 2015, wherein he called 911 to report a subject who was trying door handles to vehicles in the Aquatic Center parking lot.

Based on his information, we were able to apprehend three subjects and retrieve a purse that had been taken from one of the vehicles in the parking lot. All three subjects were charged with burglary conveyance.

Oftentimes citizens do not want to get involved, so we truly appreciate Robert reporting this activity. We are grateful for the continued support and relationship between our city workers and the BSO. I have attached a Certificate of Appreciation which I would like to present to Robert in recognition of his help.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Hale", written over a horizontal line.

Major John Hale
BSO Department of Law Enforcement
Pompano Patrol Region
100 SW 3rd Street
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

JH:aaf

Cc Mr. Dennis Beach, City Manager
Robert Torres – Personnel File



CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

Presented to

ROBERT TORRES

In recognition of:

YOUR ACTIONS ON FEBRUARY 24, 2015, THAT WERE INSTRUMENTAL IN THE IDENTIFICATION AND ULTIMATELY THE ARREST OF THREE SUSPECTS WHO BURGLARIZED VEHICLES AT THE AQUATIC CENTER IN POMPANO BEACH.

YOUR WILLINGNESS TO GET INVOLVED, REMOVED THESE DANGEROUS PERSONS FROM THE STREETS OF BROWARD COUNTY, AND FOR THIS WE ARE GRATEFUL!


Major John Hale
POMPANO REGION

Proclamation



WHEREAS: recreational boating is fun and enjoyable, and we are fortunate in Pompano Beach that with over 26 miles of waterways and ocean access we have sufficient resources to accommodate the wide variety of pleasure boating demands; and

WHEREAS: knowledge and skills are important in reducing human error and improving judgment. Every year lives are lost in boating accidents in spite of the efforts of the U.S. Coast Guard, the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, the U.S. Sail and Power Squadrons, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, the Broward Sheriff's Office Marine Patrol, and numerous local agencies. We must continue to spread the messages of boating safety; and

WHEREAS: federal, state, and local agencies and private companies and groups have combined their efforts to reduce boating accidents by developing and executing safety training programs such as "Boat Smart – Boat Safe" and "Wear It Florida"; and

WHEREAS: the sponsors of these safety programs have focused their efforts toward the youth and general public of Pompano Beach, urging them to enhance boating pleasure and avoid possible loss of life, while reducing the loss of property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor, of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida on behalf of the City Commission do hereby support the goals of the North American Safe Boating Campaign and proclaim May 16 - 22 as;

NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK

in Pompano Beach and the start of the year-round effort to promote safe boating and to urge all those who boat to "Wear It" and practice safe boating habits.

DONE this 12th day of May, 2015.



**LAMAR FISHER
MAYOR**

Proclamation



WHEREAS: the Pompano Beach Fishing Rodeo will be celebrating its 50th anniversary May 13 through May 17, 2015; and

WHEREAS: the Pompano Beach Fishing Rodeo was started in 1965 by the Pompano Chamber of Commerce.

WHEREAS: in 1978 the Pompano Beach Fishing Rodeo was incorporated as a non-profit corporation, supporting conservation programs and marine education projects; and

WHEREAS: the intention of the tournament was to keep winter tourists in South Florida longer than the winter months and to bring attention to the local charter boat business; and

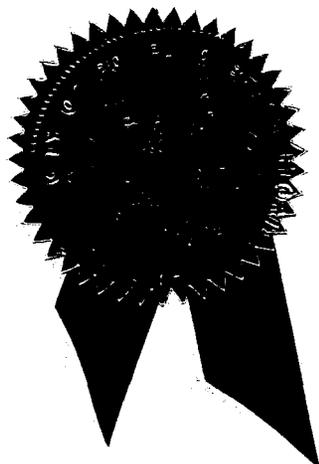
WHEREAS: the Pompano Beach Fishing Rodeo is the largest saltwater sportfishing tournament in South Florida in terms of participation and prize money and is one of the largest private contributors in the nation to artificial reef building; and

WHEREAS: the main focus of the Rodeo is the support of the saltwater conservation and marine education programs. Since 1983, the Fishing Rodeo has participated in the sinking of 25 ships and other approved material off the coast of Pompano Beach as artificial reefs to increase habitat for marine life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor of the City of Pompano Beach, on behalf of the City Commission and residents, do hereby congratulate all those involved with the Fishing Rodeo for their hard work and dedication to our community and to the environment.

Done, this 12th day of May 2015.

Lamar Fisher
MAYOR



Proclamation



WHEREAS: the demand for water increases - while water resources become scarce; and

WHEREAS: all water has been reused for millions of years because the amount of water on our planet never changes; and

WHEREAS: you can't pollute the water molecule because anything attached to it can be stripped off again with modern technology; and

WHEREAS: Florida leads the nation in reusing 719 million gallons of reuse water each day representing an average of 37 gallons per day per person, to conserve freshwater supplies and replenish our rivers, streams, lakes and aquifers; and

WHEREAS: the City of Pompano Beach has been investing in and implementing a water reuse program which has saved over 10 billion gallons of fresh water in the past 26 years, to ensure a sustainable water supply for the future and protect our natural resources; and

WHEREAS: the Florida Department of Environmental Protection has declared the third week of May to be Water Reuse Week; and

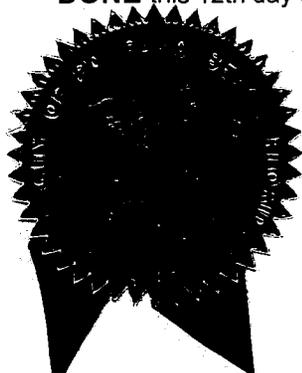
WHEREAS: the City of Pompano Beach has joined with the State of Florida, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, and the South Florida Water Management District in encouraging and promoting water reuse and conservation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor, on behalf of the City Commission of Pompano Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim the week of May 18th – 24th, 2015 as:

Water Reuse Week

in the City of Pompano Beach and call upon each citizen and business to help protect our precious resource by practicing water conservation and promoting the use of reclaimed water.

DONE this 12th day of May, 2015.



Lamar Fisher
Mayor

Proclamation



WHEREAS, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) is a vital service to our community; and

WHEREAS, access to quality emergency medical care dramatically improves the survival and recovery of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and

WHEREAS, EMS is recognized for its role in saving lives from sudden cardiac arrest and trauma; in getting people to the hospitals best equipped to treat heart attacks and strokes; and in setting the stage for a positive care experience; and

WHEREAS, EMS plays a critical role in public outreach and injury prevention, and is evolving in its role as an important member of the healthcare community; and

WHEREAS, the Paramedics and EMT's of Pompano Beach Fire Rescue stand ready to provide compassionate, lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

WHEREAS, the members of EMS teams engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

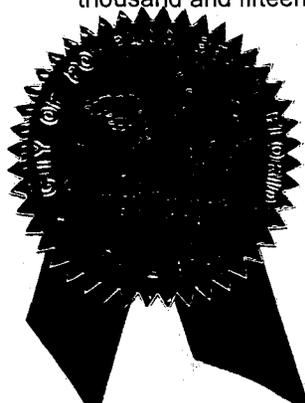
WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of EMS practitioners by designating Emergency Medical Services Week; and

THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida in recognition of the outstanding contributions of our Emergency Medical Service Providers, do hereby proclaim the week of May 17th through May 23rd, 2015, as the 41st annual:

"Emergency Medical Services Week"

With the theme "EMS Strong," I encourage the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Pompano Beach to be affixed on this 12th day of May, in the year two thousand and fifteen.



LAMAR FISHER
MAYOR



IS THE THEME FOR THE 2015 ANNUAL EMS WEEK

MAY 17 - 23, 2015

In 1973, President Gerald Ford authorized EMS Week to celebrate EMS, its practitioners and the important work they do in responding to medical emergencies. Back then, EMS was a fledgling profession and EMS practitioners were only beginning to be recognized as a critical component of emergency medicine and the public health safety net.

A lot has changed over the last four decades. EMS is now firmly established as a key component of the medical care continuum, and the important role of EMS practitioners in saving lives from sudden cardiac arrest and trauma; in getting people to the hospitals best equipped to treat heart attacks and strokes; and in showing caring and compassion to their patients in their most difficult moments.

Join Pompano Beach Fire Rescue, its community partners and volunteers in celebrating the 41st Annual National Emergency Medical Services Week, May 17-23 , 2015.

Free Blood Glucose and Blood Pressure Screenings will be given at three locations around the City of Pompano Beach.

Monday, May 18, 2015 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Walgreens/Cypress Bend
960 S. Powerline Road

Wednesday, May 20, 2015 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Lowe's
1851 N. Federal Highway

Friday, May 22, 2015 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Whole Foods
2411 N. Federal Highway

Gather up friends and family and meet your local paramedics for these important screenings at no charge. For more information contact...

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