



# Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, water is a basic and essential need of every living creature, and water conservation is becoming more critical across our great state; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida, Water Management District and the City of Ocala are working together to increase awareness about the importance of water conservation; and

**WHEREAS**, residents are encouraged to keep their home leak-free by fixing broken sprinkler heads and repairing dripping faucets, toilet flappers, and showerheads; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ocala and the State of Florida have designated April, historically a dry month when water demands are most acute, as Water Conservation Month to educate residents about how they can help save Florida's precious water resources; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ocala has always encouraged and supported water conservation through various educational programs and special events; and

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

**NOW, THEREFORE, I Kent Guinn**, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Ocala, Florida, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2023 as

## **WATER CONSERVATION MONTH**

in Ocala and I call upon each resident 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 caused the Seal of the City of Ocala, Florida, to be affixed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 2023.

Kent Guinn, Mayor  
City of Ocala

