

PROCLAMATION



OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENACRES, FLORIDA PROCLAIMING, “FIREFIGHTER APPRECIATION MONTH” FOR SEPTEMBER, 2016.

WHEREAS, the City of Greenacres Fire Rescue Department, in partnership with Local 2928 Professional Firefighters & Paramedics of Palm Beach County, contribute greatly to the well-being of all citizens through their daily service to communities and their dedication to the Muscular Dystrophy Association; and

WHEREAS, for more than 60 years, Firefighters throughout Florida and across the nation have been a partner with the Muscular Dystrophy Association in the fight against neuromuscular diseases; and

WHEREAS, in 2015, the Firefighters of the City of Greenacres’ Station 94 collected more than \$3,700 making the Station 94 the top collecting station participating in the event; and

WHEREAS, in 2015, the City of Greenacres Fire Rescue partnered with Local 2928 for MDA’s annual Campaign and raised more than \$77,000; and

WHEREAS, in 2016, Firefighters throughout Palm Beach County will be partnering with Publix Supermarkets for the MDA’s “Fill the Boot” Campaign on September 2-4, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the funds collected by the City of Greenacres Fire Rescue while partnering with Local 2928 assist MDA in providing medical services at MDA Jupiter Medical Center Clinic, summer camp, research grants, support groups, and public education seminars at no cost to Palm Beach County’s children and adults served by the Association; and

WHEREAS, the Muscular Dystrophy Association is extremely grateful to the City of Greenacres Fire Rescue along with Local 2928 for their support and dedication; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to encourage Palm Beach County citizens to support the MDA and to pay tribute to the City’s Fire Rescue Team.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Samuel J. Ferreri, Mayor, of the City of Greenacres, Florida, do hereby proclaim “Firefighter Appreciation Month” for September, 2016, and call upon the City’s residents to recognize and commend the City of Greenacres Fire Rescue Team, and encourage citizens to become a part of the support system for the MDA.

Given under my Hand and Seal of the City of Greenacres, Florida, this 15th day of August, 2016.

Samuel J. Ferreri, Mayor

Attest:

Denise McGrew, City Clerk