

CITY OF BELLE ISLE



**Declaring
May 7-13, 2017 "North American Occupational Safety and Health Week and
May 10, 2017 "Occupational Safety and Health Professionals' Day"
in the City of Belle Isle, Florida**

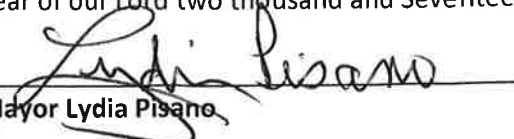
WHEREAS, the residents of the City of Belle Isle value safe and healthful workplaces for all of our citizens; and
WHEREAS, the majority of workplace injuries and fatalities are preventable, however more than 4,600 workers die each year from job related injuries, and millions more suffer occupational injuries and illnesses; and
WHEREAS, businesses spend \$170 billion a year on costs tied to occupational injuries, health care and illnesses and the intangible costs of losing a loved one, a friend and a co-worker and
WHEREAS, safer organizations enjoy increased productivity, higher employee satisfaction and a better reputation, while recording less lost time, and lower workers' compensation and healthcare costs; and
WHEREAS, during the week of May 7-13, 2017 North American Occupational Safety and Health, Week (NAOSH), the American Society of Safety Engineers members, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) and corporate/association partners representing thousands of businesses will mobilize in an effort to increase employer, employee and public awareness of being safe at work to encourage safe practices; to help companies and organizations enhance their workplace safety efforts; and
WHEREAS, on May 10, 2017 occupational safety and health professionals will be recognized on Occupational Safety and Health Professional Day for their commitment to protect people, property and the environment at work in their communities;

WHEREAS, NOW, THEREFORE, I Lydia Pisano, Mayor of the City of Belle Isle do hereby proclaim May 7-13, 2017 to be NAOSH Week and Wednesday May 10, 2017, to be Occupational Safety and Health Professional Day and encourage all industries, organizations, community leaders, employers and employees to support activities designed to increase awareness of the importance of safe workplaces for all.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused, this 18th day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and Seventeen.

Attest:


Yolanda Quiceno, CMC-City Clerk


Mayor Lydia Pisano

