

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, America is powered by thousands of independently owned and operated electric generating facilities known as power plants that generate electric energy; and

WHEREAS, these power plants are connected to a complex energy system called the electric grid that is comprised of over 5 million line miles of transmission and distribution lines that deliver energy to homes and businesses, churches, hospitals and schools across the country; and

WHEREAS, this system of electric lines is kept in a high state of readiness by 114,000 dedicated and skilled men and women known as electric line workers that work for all the independently owned and operated utilities across America; and

WHEREAS, electric line workers are a cohesive group that must work as highly effective teams in very hazardous situations under very rigorous conditions that respond to disaster areas to restore power to customer's homes and has been ranked as one of the 10 most dangerous jobs in which 30-60 people lose their lives annually; and.

WHEREAS Lake Worth Beach Electric line workers have demonstrated their dedication and skills and are hard working men and women who risk their lives daily working extremely dangerous situations to ensure that reliable electric energy is delivered to Lake Worth Beach homes and businesses.

WHEREAS it is most fitting and proper that the City of Lake Worth Beach set aside a special day to recognize and honor these dedicated professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Pam Triolo, Mayor of the City of Lake Worth Beach, Florida, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim:

**August 18, 2020 as
LINEMAN APPRECIATION DAY**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Lake Worth Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 18th day of August, 2020.

Pam Triolo, Mayor

ATTEST:

Deborah M. Andrea, City Clerk