

# CITY OF LAKE WORTH BEACH

## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS,** Each July, we celebrate park and recreation professionals and how they improve the lives of tens of millions of people, making a lasting impact in communities across the country.

**WHEREAS,** This marks the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Parks and Recreation Month.

**WHEREAS,** Florida is home to more than 170 state parks, trails and historic sites that inspire residents and visitors with recreational opportunities and scenic beauty.

**WHEREAS,** Our parks and trails ensure ecological beauty, provide space to enjoy nature, help maintain clean air and water, preserve plant and animal wildlife, enhance our quality of life by contributing to a healthy lifestyle, community building, economic development and environmental sustainability; and boost the economy, attract new business, and increase tourism.

**WHEREAS,** This year's theme, "**Build Together, Play Together**", reminds us of the contributions of parks and recreation professionals, both full-time and part-time, who maintain our country's close-to-home parks.

**WHEREAS,** The National Recreation and Park Association and the Florida Recreation and Park Association designated July as Recreation and Parks Month.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Betty Resch, Mayor of the City of Lake Worth Beach, Florida, by virtue of the authority vested in me and on behalf of the City Commission, do hereby proclaim:

**JULY 2025**

**as**

**NATIONAL PARKS AND RECREATION MONTH**

**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 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 2025.

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Betty Resch, Mayor

ATTEST:

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