## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, water is our most valuable natural resource; and

**WHEREAS,** drinking water serves a vital role in daily life, serving an essential purpose to health, hydration and hygiene needs for the quality of life our citizens enjoy; and

**WHEREAS,** tap water delivers public health protection, fire protection, support for our economy and the quality of life we enjoy; and

**WHEREAS,** the hard work performed by the entire water sector, designing capital projects, operators ensuring the safety and quality of drinking water or a member of a pipe crew maintaining the infrastructure communities rely on to transport high quality drinking water from its source to consumers' taps; and

**WHEREAS**, the coronavirus pandemic has shone a light on the importance of drinking water for health, hydration and hygiene needs; and

**WHEREAS**, we are all stewards of the water infrastructure upon which current and future generations depend; and

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of our city are called upon to help protect our source waters from pollution, practice water conservation and get involved with their water by familiarizing themselves with it;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** be it resolved that by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of our City, I do hereby proclaim May 4-10, 2025, as Drinking Water Week in the City of Madison Heights.

Roslyn Grafstein Mayor

Mark Bliss Mavor Pro Tem

William J. Mier Councilman

David M. Soltis Councilor Emily J. Rohrbach Councilor

Sean D. Fleming

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