

proclamation

Winter Park Electric 20th Anniversary Day | June 11, 2025

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2005, the city hosted a “Flip of the Switch” event to celebrate the city’s official acquisition of the electric utility; and

WHEREAS, when the latest franchise was nearing its end in 2001, City Commissioners put the buyout to a vote, approving the purchase; and

WHEREAS, following a referendum on September 9, 2003, over 69% of Winter Park voters approved a \$49.8 million bond to finance the acquisition; and

WHEREAS, over the last two decades, Winter Park Electric has continued to provide superior reliability, has undergrounded 81% of overhead lines, maintained competitive rates below the Florida state average and offered responsive, reliable customer service; and

WHEREAS, Winter Park Electric is a proud partner of the Florida Municipal Electric Association, Florida Municipal Power Agency and the American Public Power Association; and

WHEREAS, the City of Winter Park is proud to celebrate 20 years of municipal electric, infrastructure improvements, undergrounding efforts, reliability, competitive rates, and sustainable energy partnerships.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sheila DeCiccio, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Winter Park, in the state of Florida, do hereby proclaim the day of **Wednesday, June 11, 2025**, as “**Winter Park Electric 20th Anniversary Day**” in the City of Winter Park, Florida.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Winter Park, Florida, to be affixed this 11th day of June 2025.

Sheila DeCiccio
Mayor