

CITY OF WINTER PARK

proclamation

Lakes Appreciation Month | July 2026

WHEREAS, lakes and waterways are among the City of Winter Park's most valuable natural resources; and

WHEREAS, these beneficial uses have been of vital importance to the City of Winter Park's history, growth and ecotourism industry; and

WHEREAS, these bodies of water provide recreation, scenic beauty, habitat for wildlife, quality of life for residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, the City of Winter Park hereby recognizes the importance of protecting, preserving and enhancing our lakes and waterways, and expresses its sincere appreciation to the Natural Resources & Sustainability Department and the Lakes Division for their continued dedication and stewardship of these treasured natural resources.

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 month of **July 2026** as "**Lakes Appreciation Month**" in Winter Park, Florida, and encourage all residents to support environmental efforts to help safeguard the health and beauty of our waterways for present and future generations to enjoy.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Winter Park, Florida, to be affixed this 24th day of June 2026.

Sheila DeCiccio
Mayor