

Proclamation



WHEREAS: service to others is a hallmark of the American character, and central to how we meet our challenges; and

WHEREAS: the nation's counties/cities are increasingly turning to national service and volunteerism as a cost-effective strategy to meet their needs; and

WHEREAS: AmeriCorps and Senior Corps participants address the most pressing challenges facing our communities, from educating students for the jobs of the 21st century and supporting veterans and military families to providing health services and helping communities recover from natural disasters; and

WHEREAS: AmeriCorps and Senior Corps participants serve in more than 50,000 locations across the country, bolstering the civic, neighborhood, and faith-based organizations that are so vital to our economic and social well-being; and

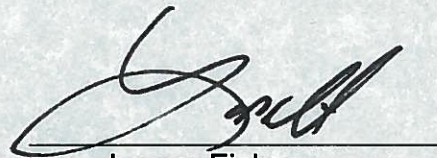
WHEREAS: national service participants increase the impact of the organizations they serve, both through their direct service and by managing millions of additional volunteers; and

WHEREAS: national service represents a unique public-private partnership that invests in community solutions and leverages non-federal resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS: the Corporation for National and Community Service shares a priority with county officials and mayors nationwide to engage citizens, improve lives, and strengthen communities; and is joining with the National League of Cities, National Association of Counties, Cities of Service, and mayors and county officials across the country for the Mayor and County Recognition Day for National Service on April 3, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lamar Fisher, Mayor, on behalf of the City Commission of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida do hereby proclaim that April 3, 2018, was National Service Recognition Day, and encourage residents to recognize the positive impact of national service in our county; to thank those who serve; and to find ways to give back to their communities.

DONE this 10th Day of April 2018.



Lamar Fisher
Mayor

