

RICK SCOTT GOVERNOR

FLORIDA CITY GOVERNMENT WEEK

WHEREAS, city government is the government closest to most citizens, and often has direct daily impact upon its residents; and

WHEREAS, city government is administered for and by its citizens, and is dependent upon public commitment to and understanding of its many responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, city government officials and employees share the responsibility to pass along their understanding of this level of government and the importance of volunteering in their community; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida works hand in hand with municipal leaders in response and recovery efforts to natural disasters, including this year's Hurricane Michael that impacted communities and families in Northwest Florida, and cities and their public servants demonstrate resiliency as they respond to these disasters; and

WHEREAS, the Florida League of Cities and its member cities have joined together to teach students and other citizens about municipal government through a variety of different projects, volunteer opportunities and information; and

WHEREAS, Florida City Government Week offers an important opportunity to convey to all the citizens of Florida that they can shape and influence government through their civic involvement and positively impact lives by civic engagement;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Scott, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing October 22-28, 2018, as *Florida City Government Week*.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 22nd day of October, in the year two thousand eighteen.

Governor