

# PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, water is the basis of all life and essential to almost every human enterprise; and

**WHEREAS**, a multitude of potential and existing threats to human health and stability exist throughout the hydrological cycle; and

**WHEREAS**, area population keeps increasing, putting more pressure on our shared water resources; and

**WHEREAS**, water resources, like all natural gifts, must be keenly understood and well managed if they are to serve future generations; and

**WHEREAS**, the cost to support the operation of the Medford Water Utility is rising, causing conservation to be more important to personal finances and the overall fiscal health of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Challenge for Water should be a time for the community, city, groups, businesses, individuals and others to learn about water and actively engage in taking positive steps to change how we use and manage water.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Randy Sparacino, Mayor of Medford, do hereby proclaim April as

## WATER CONSERVATION MONTH

in the City of Medford, and urge all citizens to rally around and take positive steps toward water management and use.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,  
I hereunto set my hand this  
20<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023.



Randy Sparacino  
Mayor

