

RESOLUTION 2018-10

CITY OF SMYRNA SUSTAINABILITY

**WHEREAS**, the City of Smyrna is a growing, vibrant community interested in bringing the best quality of life to its residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Smyrna Mayor and City Council believe that sustaining the natural environment is one way to assure that quality of life; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Smyrna values citizen engagement and involvement in processes; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Smyrna already has sustainable programs in place; and  
Examples of those programs are:

- **Recycling:**
  - The Smyrna Recycling Center
  - Curbside Recycling programs
  - Glass Recycling
- **Keep Smyrna Beautiful:**
  - education
  - citizen engagement and involvement
- **Alternative fuels:**
  - Biodiesel used at the Public Works Facility;
- **Energy Efficiency:**
  - LED traffic lights
  - “Lights Off” and “Power Down” policies
  - No Idling policy
- **Tree Board:**
  - 15 years designated as a Tree City USA community
- **Community Garden and Farmers Market**
- **Fire Station 5 has a LEED Certified designation**
- **Biking and Walking Trails**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council see the value in these programs and in educating the residents about these programs; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council desire to be an example of environmental stewardship;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Smyrna will look to continuing to be a leader by sustaining, and enhancing, their environmental programs; engaging the citizens of Smyrna in those efforts; and meeting or exceeding the environmental standards through exploring other sustainable opportunities.

This the 5th day of November, 2018

Mayor: \_\_\_\_\_  
A. Max Bacon, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Terri Graham, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

City Attorney:

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Scott A. Cochran, City Attorney