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WHEREAS, more than 258 million tons of municipals' solid waste is generated annually, more than 4 pounds per person per day; and

WHEREAS, recycling in our communities can divert over 89 million tons of material annually, avoid greenhouse gas emissions which is equal to 38 million cars, and generate hundreds of thousands of jobs; and

WHEREAS, to focus the nation's attention on the importance of recycling, businesses, industries, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, and individuals have joined together to celebrate America Recycles Day and are encouraging friends, neighbors, and coworkers to pledge to learn more about recycling options in their community and commit to recycle more materials every day of the year; and

WHEREAS, participating in America Recycles Day 2018 is one way citizens can help raise awareness about the economic and environmental benefits of reducing waste by reusing, recycling, and buying recycled-content products; and

WHEREAS, Largo leaders can also use this as an opportunity to spread the word about the excellent recycling programs that the City has established and the importance of buying and using recycled products;

NOW, therefore, I, WOODY BROWN, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF LARGO, FLORIDA, and on behalf of the City Commission, do hereby proclaim that Thursday, November 15, 2018 is

LARGO RECYCLES DAY

in the City of Largo and encourage residents to participate in this successful and meaningful program.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Largo, Florida to be affixed this 6th day of November, 2018.

[Signature]
MAYOR

[Signature]
ATTEST: [Signature]
CITY CLERK