

Proclamation

City of Tarpon Springs, Florida

- Whereas,* the American Foundation for Greek Language and Culture (AFGLC) is a non-profit organization whose singular, most important objective is the preservation and diffusion of Hellenism and the Hellenic spirit; and
- Whereas,* the members of the Foundation, all volunteers from different walks of life, undertake to carry out this mission because they are convinced that our future leaders must have no lesser knowledge of the forces that shaped today's world (nearly all traceable back to the ancient Greeks) than did the founders of the United States; and
- Whereas,* one of the most prized activities of AFGLC is the annual conferences it organizes for the benefit of its membership, of the faculty and students of the hosting educational institution, and of society at large; and
- Whereas,* the most recent development in AFGLC's annual events has been the attempt to get closer to the people by bringing the conference to them. Such is the case with this year's Annual Educational Forum/Conference themed "***The Hellenic Art of Living: Then and Now***" being held on April 1, 2017 at St. Petersburg College, Tarpon Springs Campus. It will be rich in content and attract the interest of the local population.

Now Therefore, I, Chris Alahouzos, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tarpon Springs, do hereby recognize April 1, 2017 as

The American Foundation for Greek Language and Culture Day

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, to be affixed this 21st day of March, 2017.

City Clerk & Collector

Mayor