

RESOLUTION NO. 577

WHEREAS, the City of Alexandria is experiencing a shortage of water due to the low supply of water in the Occoquan Reservoir, and

WHEREAS, as a result of this water shortage the City Council has had to implement mandatory water conservation restrictions in the City, and

WHEREAS, the amount of rainfall in the Occoquan Watershed has been insufficient to recharge the supply of water in the Occoquan Reservoir, and

WHEREAS, continued water conservation is necessary to ensure that an adequate supply of water is available to meet the basic needs of the City's residents for the next several months, and

WHEREAS, the Alexandria City Council wishes to make City residents aware of the water supply problem and the need for continued conservation,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Saturday, October 15, 1977 is hereby proclaimed to be WATER CONSERVATION DAY IN ALEXANDRIA. In order to make citizens aware of our water supply shortage and the need for conservation, the community is invited to participate in the water conservation activities scheduled for Water Conservation Day in Market Square from 12 to 5 P.M.

Adopted October 15, 1977

Mrs. Helen Holleman, City Clerk of
Alexandria, Virginia