

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, proper septic system use and routine care are vital to protecting public health, preserving our highly valued groundwater, lakes, streams, and waterways, and avoiding costly repairs that can result from neglect; and

WHEREAS, septic systems treat wastewater from homes and businesses; and

WHEREAS, wastewater professionals use their expertise in the design, installation, maintenance and regulation of septic systems; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Septic Smart program educated homeowners about the need for proper septic system use and routine maintenance; and

WHEREAS, residents and the environment benefit from properly designed, installed, operated and maintained septic systems.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED by the Chesterton Town Council, that:

**The week of September 18-22, 2017 shall be "SEPTIC SMART WEEK" in the Town of Chesterton, Porter County, Indiana.**

Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017.



CHESTERTON TOWN COUNCIL

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James G. Ton, President

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Stephanie Kuziela, Clerk-Treasurer