



CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER  
**JIMMY PATRONIS**  
STATE OF FLORIDA

**PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, the Palm Beach International Boat Show is known as one of the top boat shows in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, the Palm Beach International Boat Show has been an annual event each spring since 1982; and

**WHEREAS**, the Palm Beach International Boat Show has grown to have an exceptional economic impact to the Palm Beach community and the tri-county area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Palm Beach International Boat Show will be displaying over \$1.2 billion worth of yachts and accessories, including hundreds of boats ranging from inflatables to superyachts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Palm Beach International Boat Show is owned by the Marine Industries Association of Palm Beach and is produced by Informa Markets; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida has solidified itself as the "Boating Capital of the World" with over 1 million registered water recreational vessels; and

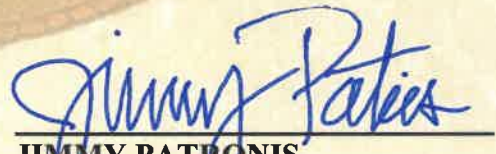
**WHEREAS**, the State of Florida has 2,276 statute miles of Tidal Shoreline, 1,350 statute miles of Coastline, 663 miles of beaches, and more than 7,700 lakes to enjoy water recreation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Chief Financial Officer of the State of Florida recognizes the

**PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW**

located in West Palm Beach on March 23 – 26, 2023, for their contribution to make Florida a better place to live, work, and play.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF** the Chief Financial Officer of the State of Florida has hereunto subscribed his name and has executed the Official Seal of the State of Florida to be hereunto affixed in the City of Tallahassee on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2023.

  
**JIMMY PATRONIS**  
**CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**  
**STATE FIRE MARSHAL**