



Public Service Recognition Week May 3 – 9, 2026

WHEREAS, our Nation's progress has long been fueled by the efforts of selfless citizens who come together in service to their fellow Americans to change our country for the better; and

WHEREAS, during Public Service Recognition Week, we honor those who dedicate themselves to ensuring America's promise rings true in every corner of our country, and we recommit to upholding the values they fight for every day; and

WHEREAS, Americans are served every single day by public servants at the federal, state, county and city levels, including employees of the City of Clearlake. These unsung heroes do the work that keeps our city working; and

WHEREAS, without these public servants at every level, continuity would be impossible in a democracy that regularly changes its leaders and elected officials. Day in and day out they provide the diverse services demanded by the American people of their government with efficiency and integrity; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Clearlake City Council does hereby designate May 3 – 9, 2026 as Public Service Appreciation Week in the City of Clearlake. All citizens are encouraged to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of government employees at all levels — federal, state, county and city.

Dated this 7th day of May, 2026

Dirk Slooten, Mayor