

**Office of the Mayor
City and Borough of Juneau**

**PROCLAMATION
NATIONAL ENGINEERS WEEK**

WHEREAS, National Engineers Week is celebrated during the week of George Washington’s birthday to honor the contributions President Washington, a military engineer and land surveyor, made to engineering; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 theme, “Design Your Future”, is both a call to action and a celebration of the limitless possibilities in engineering; and

WHEREAS, Engineers use their scientific and technical knowledge and skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society’s needs; and

WHEREAS, Engineers face the major technological challenges of our time – from rebuilding towns devastated by natural disaster, cleaning up the environment, and assuring safe and efficient sources of energy, to designing information systems that will speed our country into the future; and

WHEREAS, the Juneau branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and the Alaska Capital Engineers are local sponsors of National Engineers Week, celebrating the local accomplishment of projects-of-the-year and engineer-of-the-year recognitions within the Juneau region; and

WHEREAS, since 1983 the National Society of Professional Engineers has contributed time, sponsorship, and resources in support of the national Mathcounts competition series, a competitive mathematics program that promotes mathematical achievements through a series of fun and engaging “bee” style contests; and

WHEREAS, the 2025 Juneau Mathcounts competition for middle schoolers will be held on February 14, 2025 at Juneau-Douglas High School; and

WHEREAS, the Juneau branch has established civil engineer and professional engineer scholarships for high school seniors pursuing Bachelor of Science degrees in the engineering and science fields.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Beth A. Weldon, Mayor of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska, on behalf of the City and Borough Assembly, do hereby issue this proclamation acknowledging February 16 – 22, 2025, as:

National Engineers Week

in Juneau, Alaska and call upon the people of Juneau to recognize the essential contributions engineers make within our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the seal of the City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska to be affixed this 3rd day of February 2025.



Beth A. Weldon, Mayor