

City of Madison Heights
RESOLUTION SUPPORTING NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS MONUMENT
May 26, 2026

In honor of public works week, the City of Madison Heights, Michigan recognizes the vital role that public works professionals have played in building and maintaining the infrastructure that sustains our communities and our nation. To honor these contributions, a proposal has been advanced to create a National Public Works Monument in Muskegon, Michigan. This resolution affirms support for that initiative.

WHEREAS, the Midwest Branch of the Michigan Chapter of the American Public Works Association initiated a discussion about establishing a National Public Works Monument to honor the people who have built our public infrastructure in America; and

WHEREAS, the onset of COVID-19 and overall transition within the industry placed a pause on this effort, which is now reborn with new energy in 2026; and

WHEREAS, an abstract conceptual design and budget have been updated, and the City of Muskegon, Michigan has agreed to the placement of the Monument on the shore of Lake Michigan; and

WHEREAS, the next step for the Monument Committee is to secure formal support from the entities around the nation including Road Commissions, Counties, Cities and Townships that oversee Public Works Professionals;


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Madison Heights, Michigan endorses the concept of a National Public Works Monument to be constructed in Muskegon, Michigan, to honor the industry, its accomplishments, and the lives of those who have built this great country.



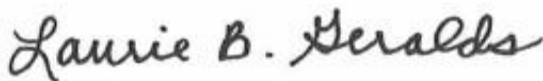
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