



**PROCLAMATION
National Engineers Week
February 16–22, 2025**

WHEREAS, engineers use their scientific and technical skills in creative and revolutionary ways to fulfill society's needs; and

WHEREAS, engineers work on many major technological challenges of our time, such as rebuilding towns devastated by natural disaster; cleaning up the environment; assuring safe, clean and efficient sources of energy; and designing information systems that will propel our state and country into the future; and

WHEREAS, engineering has been called the invisible or stealth profession because everything around us and things we use every day have been engineered in some way, yet we may not see the engineers behind the scenes or know much about engineering; and

WHEREAS, founded in 1951, National Engineers Week is dedicated to ensuring a diverse and well-educated future engineering workforce by increasing understanding of, and interest in, engineering and technology careers; and,

WHEREAS, Engineer Week promotes recognition among parents, teachers and students of the importance of a technical education and a high level of math, science and technology literacy, and motivates youth to pursue engineering careers in order to provide a diverse and vigorous engineering workforce; and; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, **Colleen Whitlow, Mayor**, do hereby designate the week of February 16-22, 2025 as **National Engineers Week**.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Town of Mead, Colorado

On this 10th day of February 2025

Colleen G. Whitlow
Mayor