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Proclamation

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 18 THROUGH 24, 2025, AS PUBLIC WORKS WEEK IN THE CITY OF NORMAN.

- § 1. WHEREAS, public works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities and to the public health, high quality of life and well-being of the people of Norman, Oklahoma; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers, and employees at all levels of government, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving, and protecting our nation's transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and facilities essential for our citizens; and
- WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens and children in the City of Norman to gain knowledge of and to maintain an ongoing interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in their respective communities; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the City of Norman Public Works Department will celebrate by recognizing employees for their outstanding support of the goals of public works on May 22nd, educating local school children in the aspects of public works operations on May 21st and engaging the community with a Public Works art contest; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the year 2025 marks the 65th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

§ 6. Do hereby proclaim the week of May 18 – 24, 2025 as National Public Works Week; I urge all citizens to join with representatives of the American Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events, and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers, and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our national health, safety, and quality of life.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of May, 2025.

ATTEST:

Mayor



City Clerk