

A PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, PROCLAIMING MAY 9 THROUGH
MAY 27, 2023, AS PUBLIC WORKS WEEKS 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 facilities, infrastructure, 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
- § 3. WHEREAS, it is in the public interest of the citizens including young people 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 Public Works Weeks by recognizing employees for their outstanding support of the goals of public works on May 10th, educating local school children in the aspects of public works operations on May 18th, and volunteering time to beautify a local public space on May 12th; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, the year 2023 marks the 63rd annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association be it now.

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

- § 6. Do hereby designate May 9 through 27, 2023, as National Public Works Weeks; 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 protect our national health, safety, and quality of life.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of May, 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

