



**MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION
CONSTITUTION WEEK
SEPTEMBER 17 – 23, 2026**

WHEREAS, September 17, 2026, marks the 239th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States of America by the delegates to the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution established the foundation of our federal system of government and continues to define the rights, responsibilities, and freedoms of the American people; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution's enduring principles of representative government, separation of powers, checks and balances, due process, and the rule of law have guided our nation for more than two centuries; and

WHEREAS, the preservation of constitutional government depends upon an informed and engaged citizenry that understands and respects the Constitution and the responsibilities of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, Congress has designated September 17 through September 23 of each year as Constitution Week and has encouraged citizens throughout the nation to study and reflect upon the Constitution and its importance to American democracy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Robert Nelson, Mayor of the City of Spring Lake Park, officially proclaim the week of September 17 through September 23, 2026 as

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in the City of Spring Lake Park and encourage all residents to learn more about the Constitution, reflect upon the freedoms and responsibilities it provides, and reaffirm their commitment to the principles of constitutional government.

Dated this seventeenth day of August, two thousand twenty six.

Robert Nelson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Daniel Buchholtz, City Administrator