CITY OF LAKEWOOD



PROCLAMATION

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 people; and

WHEREAS, these services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers and employees who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting our transportation, water, sewers, storm drainage, streets, solid waste collection, public buildings and other structures for our residents; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety and comfort of this community greatly depends on these facilities and services; and

WHEREAS, the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design and construction is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works officials; and

WHEREAS, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff public works departments is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Lakewood City Council do hereby proclaim the week of May 15, 2022 through May 21, 2022 as

NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

in the City of Lakewood and do hereby recognize the contributions which public works personnel make every day to our health, safety, comfort and quality of life.

PROCLAIMED this 16th day of May, 2022.

Jason Whalen, Mayor