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 the people of Polk City, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professional, who are engineers, managers and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, 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 citizens of all ages and civic leaders in Polk City, Iowa to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, the year 2021 marks the 61st annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association be it now.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jason Morse, Mayor of Polk City, Iowa, do hereby designate the week of May 16-22, 2021 as **NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK** in Polk City Iowa, and I urge all citizens to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees by recognizing the substantial contributions they make to protecting our national health, safety, and quality of life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Polk City, Iowa to be affixed this 10th day of May 2021.

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