

MAY 20TH THROUGH MAY 26TH, 2018 NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

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 Illinois; and

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals who are engineers, managers and employees from state and local governments 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, urban forests, electric utility and other structures and facilities essential for our citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens and civic leaders in the State of Illinois to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works programs in their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, the American Public Works Association has celebrated the annual National Public Works Weeks since 1960.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Raymond P. Rogina, Mayor of the City of St. Charles, along with the St. Charles City Council, do hereby proclaim May 20th through May 26th, 2018, as "NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK" in the City of St. Charles and encourage all citizens to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of Public Works employees at all levels – federal, state, country and city.

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Raymond P. Rogina, Mayor