

Proclamation



NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK MAY 19 - MAY 25, 2019

WHEREAS, public services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

WHEREAS, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as stormwater drainage, streets, highways, canal maintenance, solid waste collection, and fleet maintenance; 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 efforts and skills of Public Works officials; and

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

WHEREAS, the American Public Works Association has selected "It Starts Here" as its theme for the 2019 National Public Works Week. This theme represents the many facets of modern civilization that grow out of the efforts put forth by the public works professionals across North America. What starts here? Infrastructure starts with public works . . . Growth and innovation starts with public works . . . Healthy communities start with public works . . . The bottom line is that citizen's quality of life starts with public works.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the City Commission of the City of North Port, Florida, do hereby proclaim the week of May 19, 2019, through May 25, 2019, as:

"NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK"

in the City of North Port and calls upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with services provided by Public Works; and to recognize contributions which Public Works officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort and quality of life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and Seal of the City of North Port, Florida, to be affixed this 2nd day of May 2019.

ATTEST

CITY OF NORTH PORT, FLORIDA

Kathryn Wong, City Clerk

Christopher Hanks, Mayor

Debbie McDowell, Vice-Mayor

Vanessa Carusone, Commissioner

Jill Luke, Commissioner

Pete Emrich, Commissioner