



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING  
MAY 19-25, 2019 AS  
"NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK"

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**WHEREAS**, Public Works professionals focus on providing infrastructure, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities, public health, a high quality of life, and the well-being of the people of Santa Barbara County in a fiscally responsible manner; and,

**WHEREAS**, the infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of Public Works professionals, who are engineers, accountants, technicians, environmental specialists, maintenance workers and administrative professionals to name a few, at all levels of government and the private sector; and,

**WHEREAS**, the community is frequently unaware of the Public Works programs that are the foundation of our economy and everyday life, such as the quality of roads on which they travel, the accuracy of their property boundaries, the reliability of street lights in their neighborhoods, effective sewage treatment, the cost-effectiveness, consistency and attention to sustainability of their recycling and trash disposal programs, water supply and conservation, and community safety during flood events and disaster recovery; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in Santa Barbara County 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 2019 marks the 59<sup>th</sup> annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association and the Canadian Public Works Association,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County do hereby designate the week of May 19 – 25, 2019 as National Public Works Week; and invite all citizens to recognize the substantial contributions Public Works employees make in protecting our national health, safety, and quality of life.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 2019, by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

*Monica Reyes*  
Clerk of the Board

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