

PROCLAMATION FOR NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

WHEREAS, public works services provided in the City of Broken Arrow 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 water, sewer, streets and highways, public buildings, snow removal, park maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety, comfort and quality of life of Broken Arrow citizens greatly depend on these facilities and services; and

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

WHEREAS, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff the public works department is influenced by the understanding of the importance of their work

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Thurmond, Mayor of the City of Broken Arrow, do hereby proclaim the week of May 17 through May 23, 2020 as **NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK** with the theme, *The Rhythm of Public Works*, and call upon all the citizens and civic organizations to recognize the contributions the public works staff and officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort and quality of life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Broken Arrow to be affixed this 5th day of May, Two Thousand Twenty.

Mayor