

WHEREAS, the services provided by Public Works are essential to the everyday lives of residents and the overall functioning of our community; and

WHEREAS, Public Works professionals are responsible for the planning, design, construction, and maintenance of critical infrastructure—including roads, bridges, stormwater systems, public facilities, fleet management, public transportation, parks maintenance, and waste and recycling services—all of which are vital to building a resilient community; and

WHEREAS, these essential services could not be delivered without the expertise and dedication of skilled Public Works professionals, including engineers, maintenance crews, emergency response teams, seasonal workers, managers, and administrative staff; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety, quality of life, and overall well-being of Commerce City residents are directly supported by the work of Public Works personnel; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for all citizens and civic leaders to understand and appreciate the critical role that Public Works staff and programs play in our community; and

WHEREAS, the year 2025 marks the 65th annual National Public Works Week, sponsored by the American Public Works Association, in celebration of the contributions of Public Works professionals across the nation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of Commerce City hereby proclaims the week of May 18–24, 2025, as NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK in Commerce City; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we encourage all residents to join us in recognizing and honoring our Public Works professionals for the invaluable contributions they make each day to the safety, comfort, and quality of life in Commerce City.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Steve J. Douglas, Mayor