



City of Bellevue | Proclamation

Whereas: Public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our residents' everyday lives; and

Whereas: The support of informed residents is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as streets, traffic safety, public buildings, delivery of reliable and safe water, storm water management and fleet management; and

Whereas: Bellevue's quality of life greatly depends upon these facilities and services; and

Whereas: In February 2019, city public works staff worked around-the-clock for 13 straight days in response to a series of snow storms; and

Whereas: The effectiveness of planning, design, construction and maintenance work is dependent upon the dedication and skill of public works professionals, engineers, managers and field staff.

Now, therefore, I, John Chelminiak, Mayor of the City of Bellevue, Washington, and on behalf of its City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of **May 19-25, 2019** as:

NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

in Bellevue and urge all residents and civic organizations to recognize the contributions that public works officials make every day to our city's health, safety, comfort and quality of life.

John Chelminiak, Mayor
City of Bellevue