



City of Bellevue | Proclamation

Whereas: public works services and the dedicated individuals who provide them are essential to the health, safety, comfort and quality of life enjoyed by community members, businesses and visitors of Bellevue; and

Whereas: public works professionals are responsible for planning, designing, building, operating and maintaining the infrastructure that supports our city, including streets, sidewalks, trails, traffic signals, storm and surface water systems, wastewater collection, water distribution, public buildings, vehicle fleets and solid waste services; and

Whereas: this year's National Public Works Week theme, "People, Purpose, Presence," highlights the cornerstone ideals that inspire public works professionals to serve their communities each day - meeting the needs of people, guided by a strong sense of purpose, and maintaining a steady presence that often goes unnoticed, even as their work impacts lives in profound and lasting ways; and

Whereas: the effectiveness and efficiency of these vital services rely on the commitment of dedicated public works staff who work together to keep Bellevue functioning, growing and thriving; and

Whereas: the City of Bellevue thanks the dedicated professionals in Transportation, Utilities, Finance & Asset Management and Parks & Community Services departments for their vital role in delivering exceptional public works services that enhance quality of life, promote public health and safety and keep our city running every day.

Now, therefore, I, Lynne Robinson, Mayor of Bellevue, Washington, on behalf of the Bellevue City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of **May 18–24, 2025**, as:

National Public Works Week

in Bellevue and encourage all members of our community to recognize and honor the vital role public works plays in advancing the quality of life in our city.

Lynne Robinson, Mayor
City of Bellevue