

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 280

Approved May 23, 2019

WHEREAS, Public works professionals focus on projects, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities and to the public health, high quality of life and well-being of the people of the City of Providence, Rhode Island; and

WHEREAS, These projects, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting our city's transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and facilities essential for our citizens; and

WHEREAS, Council President Pro Tempore Michael Correia, Chairperson to the Committee on Public Works, and Council President Sabina Matos recommend the recognition of Public Works Week 2019 along with members of the Committee, including Deputy Majority Leader and Committee Vice-Chair Councilwoman Mary Kay Harris, Senior Deputy Majority Leader Councilman Nicholas J. Narducci, Jr., Councilwoman Katherine A. Kerwin and Councilman James E. Taylor; and

WHEREAS, It is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in the City of Providence, Rhode Island 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

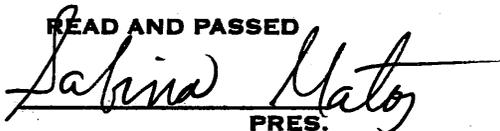
WHEREAS, The year 2019 marks the 59th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That The Providence City Council does hereby designate the week May 19 - 25, 2019 as National Public Works Week; we urge all citizens to join with representatives of the American Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our national health, safety, and quality of life.

**IN CITY COUNCIL**

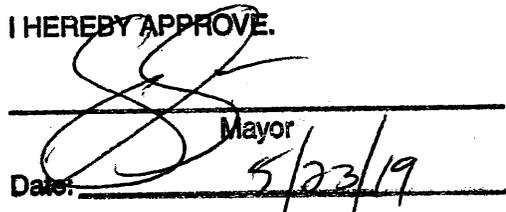
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**READ AND PASSED**

  
**PRES.**

  
**CLERK**

**I HEREBY APPROVE.**

  
**Mayor**  
Date: 5/23/19