PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

WHEREAS, maintenance of public facilities is a wise and timely investment to prolong the life of the systems and vital services that protect our health, safety, and comfort; and

WHEREAS, the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, and construction, is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works people who manage our water, sewer, transportation, and solid waste collection systems; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance of our streets and roads, removal of snow and ice, and the smooth functioning of public transportation, water, sewage, and refuse removal systems are easily taken for granted; and

WHEREAS, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff public works departments is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DANIEL W. FOWLER, MAYOR OF OREGON CITY, do hereby claim the week of May 19 - 25, 1991 as:

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in Oregon City and urge all citizens to salute the public works professionals in our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 15th day of May, 1991.



DANIEL W. FOWLER, Mayor