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PROCLAMATION IN HONOR OF NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK
"Advancing Quality of Life For All"

WHEREAS, Public Works Professionals focus on infrastructure, 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 Lenoir; and

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, 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 nation's transportation, water supply, water treatment, and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and facilities essential for our citizens; and

WHEREAS, it in in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in the City of Lenoir 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

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joseph L. Gibbons, Mayor, and on behalf of the Lenoir City Council, do hereby designate the week of May 17 through May 23, 2026, as ***"National Public Works Week"*** and urge all citizen to join with representatives of governmental agencies and the American Public Works Association in activities and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our Public Works professionals, engineers and administrators and to recognize the substantial contributions they have made to our national health and welfare.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Lenoir to be affixed this the 4th day of May, 2026.

SEAL

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Joseph L. Gibbons, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lauren Hartley, City Clerk