

## Proclamation

Whereas, public works professionals focus on infrastructure and services that are vital to a sustainable and resilient community, the public health, a high quality of life and the well-being of the people of Renton; and

Whereas, such infrastructure and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals such as engineers, airport professionals, managers, and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, maintaining, improving and protecting our city's mobility transportation networks, piped utilities, solid waste systems and other structures and facilities essential for our residents; and

Whereas, it is in the public interest for the residents, civic leaders and children of Renton to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in our community; and

Whereas, 2021 marks the 61st annual National Public Works Week, "Stronger Together," sponsored by the American Public Works Association whose team challenges our residents and employees to think about the role public works plays in creating a great place to live;

Now, therefore, I, Armondo Pavone, Mayor of the of the City of Renton, do hereby proclaim May 16-22, 2021 as

## National Public Works Week

in the City of Renton, and I encourage all residents to recognize the contributions public works professionals make every day to protect our health, safety, comfort and quality of life.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Renton to be affixed this 17th day of May 2021.

Armondo ₱avone, Mayor City of Renton, Washington