

**THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BOARD ACTION SUMMARY**

DEPT: Public Works

BOARD AGENDA: 4.A.5
AGENDA DATE: May 1, 2018

SUBJECT:

Approval to Proclaim, in Conjunction with National Public Works Week, the Week of May 20, 2018 to May 26, 2018 as Stanislaus County Public Works Week

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-0190

On motion of Supervisor Chiesa Seconded by Supervisor Monteith
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: Olsen, Chiesa, Withrow, Monteith, and Chairman DeMartini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

- 1) Approved as recommended
- 2) Denied
- 3) Approved as amended
- 4) Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST: 
ELIZABETH A. KING, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

File No.

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CONSENT:

CEO CONCURRENCE:

4/5 Vote Required: No

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STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

1. Proclaim May 20, 2018 through May 26, 2018 as Stanislaus County Public Works Week, in conjunction with National Public Works Week.

DISCUSSION:

National Public Works Week (NPWW) is a celebration of the tens of thousands of men and women in North America who provide and maintain the infrastructure and services collectively known as Public Works. National Public Works Week is observed each year during the third full week of May.

The Stanislaus County Director of Public Works is asking the Board of Supervisors to proclaim the week of May 20 - 26, 2018 as Stanislaus County Public Works Week. National Public Works Week is about recognizing and thanking our Public Works workforce for the contributions they make every day to the health, safety, comfort, and quality of life of all Stanislaus County residents and visitors.

Stanislaus County Public Works has 103 employees serving the needs of Stanislaus County. Public Works services range from design and construction, maintaining the survey system of lands, checking and recording of parcel maps, subdivision maps, records of survey and county surveys, encroachment and transportation permits, flooding, mowing, issuing parade and special event permits, road repairs, street lights, sweeping, traffic, transportation, tree trimming, weed abatement, and a host of other administrative services.

“The Power of Public Works” is the 2018 NPWW poster theme. This year National Public Works Week gives voice to the impact the many facets public works have on modern civilization. This year’s poster honors the vital contribution public works professionals make every day to communities all across North America, and invites the public to celebrate their quiet dedication and indispensable influence on our way of life.

POLICY ISSUE:

The Board of Supervisors has the authority to proclaim a week in celebration of a specific topic.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with proclaiming the week as Public Works Week.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PRIORITY:

The recommended action is consistent with the Board of Supervisors' priorities of *Delivering Efficient Public Services and Community Infrastructure* by recognizing the importance of the services provided by our County Public Works employees and the contributions they make to the community.

STAFFING IMPACT:

There is no staffing impact associated with this item.

CONTACT PERSON:

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ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Public Works Week 2018 - Proclamation

To Proclaim the Week of May 20, 2018 to May 26 2018 as Stanislaus County Public Works Week, in Conjunction with National Public Works Week

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

WHEREAS, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways, transit, public building, fleet maintenance, and solid waste collections; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety and comfort of this community greatly depends on these facilities and services; 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 officials; 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, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Stanislaus County does hereby unanimously proclaim the week of May 20, 2018 through May 26, 2018 as Stanislaus County Public Works Week.