

## Accountability – Dedication – Honesty Integrity – Respect

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## PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and
- WHEREAS, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operations of public works systems and programs such as water, sewer streets and highways, public buildings and solid waste collection; and
- WHEREAS, the quality of effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, and construction, are vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works professionals; 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 James B. Bulkley, Mayor of the City of Columbus, Nebraska, do hereby recognize the week of May 18 through May 24, 2025, as

## "NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK"

in the City of Columbus, and call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the work and services which our public works staff provides; and to recognize the contributions which our staff and officials make every day in bringing and providing safe, efficient, and quality public services.

Given under my hand and seal of the City of Columbus, Nebraska, this 19th of May, 2025.



James B. Bulkley, Mayor