

Proclamation

Forney



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Whereas, this year's theme "**READY AND RESILIENT**" celebrates the vital role public works plays in connecting us all together; and

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 Forney; 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 is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in Forney 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

Whereas, by working together, the impact citizens and public works professionals can have on their communities is magnified and results in the ability to accomplish goals once thought unattainable;

Now, Therefore, I, Amanda Lewis, Mayor of the City of Forney, do hereby proclaim the week of **May 21-27, 2023**, as

National Public Works Week

in the City of Forney and I call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our public works and to recognize the contributions which public works officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort, and quality of life.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal this 16 day of May, 2023.

Amanda Lewis, Mayor