

National Public Works Week Proclamation

May 19 – 25, 2019

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 Town of Elon, North Carolina; 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,

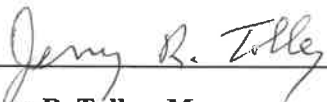
WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in the Town of Elon to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in their respective communities; and,

WHEREAS, the year 2019 marks the 59th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association be it now,

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Main Street Champions Ceremony recognizes citizens and groups who have made an impact in their community's downtown revitalization effort. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen wish to congratulate Donnie Wood, Elon Public Works Director, and the Public Works employees for being recognized as 2018 North Carolina Main Street Champions at the 2019 North Carolina Main Street Conference.

RESOLVED, I, Jerry R. Tolley, Mayor, do hereby proclaim the week May 19 – 25, 2019 as National Public Works Week; I urge all citizens to join with representatives of the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our national health, safety, and quality of life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town (to be affixed) this 9 day of April 2019.



Jerry R. Tolley, Mayor

