

ONE CITY. ONE JACKSONVILLE.

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 residents and visitors of Jacksonville; and

**WHEREAS:** Each day, citizens depend on public works services and personnel

for streets that are safe for vehicular and pedestrian traffic; effective stormwater management to reduce flooding and pollution of our natural waterways; well-maintained public buildings and facilities to support and enhance our quality of life; and efficient

solid waste collection to keep our community clean; and

**WHEREAS:** It is in the public interest for citizens, civic leaders, and children in

Jacksonville to gain knowledge of and to maintain an ongoing interest and understanding of the importance of public works and

public works programs in our community; and

**WHEREAS:** The year 2023 marks the 63rd annual National Public Works Week

sponsored by the American Public Works Association, and this year's theme, "Connecting the World through Public Works," recognizes the dedication of public works professionals in connecting our

communities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, LENNY CURRY,** by virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of Jacksonville, Florida, do hereby proclaim May 21 - 27, 2023 as

## **PUBLIC WORKS WEEK**

in Jacksonville and encourage all citizens to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers, and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our health, safety, and quality of life.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, this 16th Day of May in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

MAYOR