



NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK 2024

WHEREAS, Public Works (PW) professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable communities and to the health, safety, and well-being of the people of the City of Berkeley; and

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of (PW) professionals, engineers, managers, and employees who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting, operating and maintaining the transportation, sewer, and refuse disposal systems, public buildings and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in Berkeley to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of PW and its programs in the community; and

WHEREAS, the year 2024 marks the 64th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association (APWA).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Berkeley hereby proclaims the week of May 19 – 25, 2024 as National Public Works Week in the City of Berkeley and encourages all members of our community to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our public works and to recognize the substantial contributions which PW employees make every day to protecting our health, safety, and advancing quality of life for all.



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