

## City of Killeen

WHEREAS National Public Works Week began in 1960 as a public education campaign by the American Public Works Association; this year marks the 57<sup>th</sup> annual observance; and

WHEREAS Today, it is a celebration of thousands of professionals across the country who dedicate themselves to providing and maintaining essential infrastructure and services; and

WHEREAS The 2017 theme is "Public Works Connects Us" emphasizing the importance of the infrastructure and services that public works professionals provide and the impacts they have on our everyday lives; and

WHEREAS The City of Killeen Public Works Department includes Engineering, Environmental Services, Solid Waste, Transportation and Water and Sewer services all of which greatly contribute to the quality of life our residents enjoy; and

WHEREAS Hundreds of committed employees work in this community each day to provide reliable, efficient public works services and ensure public health and safety, and their efforts are worthy of recognition.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Jose L. Segarra, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Killeen do hereby proclaim the week of May 21<sup>st</sup> through 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017 as:

Public Works Week

and urge all the residents of Killeen to recognize and appreciate the hard work of public works professionals this week and every week.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Killeen to be affixed this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2017.

Jøse L. Segarra, MAYOR