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National Public Works Week May 15-21, 2016

Whereas, public works infrastructure, facilities and services are of vital importance to sustainable communities and to the health, safety and well-being of the people of Oakley; and

Whereas, such facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees from state and local units of government and the private sector, who are responsible for and must plan, design, build, operate, and maintain the transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

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

Whereas the year 2016 marks the 56th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that I, Kevin Romick, Mayor of the City of Oakley, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of May 15-21, 2016 as "National Public Works Week" in the City of Oakley, and encourage all residents to recognize the contributions of public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they have made to our health, safety, welfare and quality of life.

May 10, 2016

