## **CITY OF KIRTLAND**

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER 23-R-38**

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND APPRECIATING THE CITY OF KIRTLAND'S PUBLIC WORKS PROFESSIONALS AND DECLARING NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK TO BE MAY 21-27, 2023.

**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 City of Kirtland; 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 City of Kirtland 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 2023 marks the 63<sup>rd</sup> annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Kirtland, County of Lake and State of Ohio, that:

SECTION I: This Council hereby designates the week of May 21-27, 2023 as National Public Works Week. This Council hereby proclaims its gratitude to all those who work in the Division of Public Works in the City of Kirtland including those who work alongside those dedicated employees. This Council urges 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.

**SECTION II:** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this resolution were passed in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

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Second Reading:  Third Reading:	
DATE PASSED:	President of Council
Submitted to the Mayor for his Approval on this day of, 2023.	
ATTEST:	Approved by the Mayor, this day of, 2023.
Clerk of Council	Mayor Kevin F. Potter