



**PROCLAMATION
NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK
“Public Works Connects Us”
May 21 - 27/2017**

WHEREAS: public works infrastructure, facilities and services are vital to the health, safety and well-being of the residents of the City of Nanaimo; and

WHEREAS: such facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, engineers and administrator who are responsible for building, operating and maintaining the public works systems that serve our citizens; and

WHEREAS: the Public Works Association instituted Public Works Week as a public education campaign “to inform communities and their leaders on the importance of our nation’s public infrastructure and public works services”; and

WHEREAS: it is in the public interest of citizens and civic leaders to gain knowledge of the public works needs and programs of their respective communities; and

WHEREAS: Public Works Week also recognizes the contributions of public works professionals; and

WHEREAS: the City of Nanaimo is recognizing Public Works Week by hosting a fun “Public Works Day” event at the Public Works yard on 24th May 2017 for grade 4 and 5 students in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill McKay, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim that the week of May 21 - 27, 2017 as:

“NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK”

in the City of Nanaimo.

Bill McKay
MAYOR

DATED THIS 17th DAY OF MAY, 2017.

