The State of New Hampshire
By Her Excellency
Margaret Wood Hassan, Governor

A Proclamation

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 New Hampshire; and

WHEREAS, Such facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, engineers, managers, 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 serving our citizens; and

WHEREAS, It is in the public interest of the citizens, civic leaders, and children in the United States of America to gain knowledge of, maintain an interest in, 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, I, MARGARET WOOD HASSAN, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim MAY 15-21, 2016, as NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK in the State of New Hampshire and ask all citizens, representatives of the American Public Works Association, and government agencies to engage in activities and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers, and employees, and to recognize the substantial contributions that they have made to our national health, safety, welfare, and quality of life.

Given this 26th day of April, in the year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen, and the independence of the United States of America, two hundred and forty.

Margaret Wood Hassan
Governor