



Report

TITLE: 2026 PUBLIC WORKS DECLARATION WEEK

Meeting: Council Meeting

Meeting Date: May 6, 2026

Background

The 2026 National Public Works Week theme, “Rooted in Service, Powered by Community,” reflects the essential role public works professionals play in supporting the safety, health, and well-being of Flagstaff County residents. Through their dedication to maintaining infrastructure, ensuring reliable services, and responding to emergencies, they help build a strong, resilient, and vibrant community. Whether maintaining roads, managing water systems, or providing critical services, public works is always there when our community needs it most.

The American Public Works Association (APWA) Alberta Chapter encourages municipalities to participate and proclaim National Public Works Week between May 17th and May 23rd.

Coinciding with the proclamation of “National Public Works Week”, the Municipal Services Department will be hosting two events during that week:

- Colouring Contest for kids of Flagstaff County; and
- An Employee Appreciation Breakfast for all Flagstaff County employees on Friday, May 22nd.

Alignment with the Strategic Plan

STRONG COMMUNITIES: Flagstaff County’s commitment to Strong Communities means we will provide community services that make Flagstaff an attractive place to live for all generations.

Recommendation

THAT Council approve the attached resolution thereby proclaiming May 17th to May 23rd, 2026, to “National Public Works Week” in Flagstaff County.