## RESOLUTION NO. 55-17

## A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION RECOGNIZING MAY 21-27, 2017 AS NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

WHEREAS, the City of Colorado Springs recognizes the importance of public works services provided in our community as an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

**WHEREAS,** the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as streets, bridges, traffic lights and signals, stormwater, and mass transit; and

**WHEREAS**, the health, safety and comfort of this community greatly depends on these facilities and services; and

**WHEREAS,** the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, engineering, construction, and maintenance, is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works professionals; and

**WHEREAS,** the dedication, partnership, and professionalism of local engineering consultants and contractors are key to delivering public works projects and programs; and

**WHEREAS**, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff and support public works departments is materially influenced by their attitude and understanding of importance of the work they perform.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

That City Council recognized this year's National Public Works Week as May 21-27 and appreciates and applauds the works of these employees and community partners, and calls upon all citizens to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our public works.

DATED at Colorado Springs, Colorado this 9th day of May, 2017.

ATTEST:

Council President