

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Works	(2) MEETING DATE 5/19/2015	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Wade Horton, Director of Public Works (805) 781-5252	
(4) SUBJECT Submittal of a resolution proclaiming May 17-23, 2015 as National Public Works Week. All Districts.			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that the Board adopt the attached resolution proclaiming May 17-23, 2015 as National Public Works Week.			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) N/A	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT N/A	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT N/A	(9) BUDGETED? N/A
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business (Time Est.____)			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input type="checkbox"/> Contracts <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
(12) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(13) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5 Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	
(14) LOCATION MAP N/A	(15) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(16) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input type="checkbox"/> N/A    Date: 5/13/14 #15	
(17) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW David E. Grim			
(18) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) All Districts			

Reference:    15MAY19-C-10

## County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Public Works  
Wade Horton, Director of Public Works

DATE: 5/19/2015

SUBJECT: Submittal of a resolution proclaiming May 17- 23, 2015 as National Public Works Week.  
All Districts.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board adopt the attached resolution proclaiming May 17-23, 2015 as National Public Works Week.

### **DISCUSSION**

While we depend on public works facilities and services, we largely take these items for granted in our daily lives: that the water will come from the tap; the transit system will operate on time; the trash will be picked up; and the potholes filled. The ability of these systems to function day after day is due to the on-going work efforts of boards, agencies and many contractors and vendors. In addition to the Public Works Department, the County has over 30 entities and vendors which serve the unincorporated areas. These include:

- Twelve Community Services Districts
- Two Sanitation Districts
- Six Flood Control Districts
- Four Lighting Districts
- Three Landfills
- One Regional Transit Agency
- Three Waste Management Contracts

While the work of these agencies, staff and vendors may not be noticed every day, the Board may recognize these efforts by adopting the attached resolution proclaiming May 17-23, 2015 as National Public Works Week.

The Public Works Department celebrates the week by attending the annual Public Works Thursday Farmer's Market event with various Public Works Departments in the County. Our staff of over 180 employees serves with dedication to meet the needs of our citizens and are committed to advance our service and mission.

## **OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT**

National Public Works Week is arranged through the American Public Works Association.

## **FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS**

There is no financial impact for the proclamation. We intend to utilize our new logo on our website, communication outreach and staff uniforms. These costs will be absorbed through our regular operating budget.

## **RESULTS**

Approval of the resolution will recognize the benefits of having public works facilities and services for our County which provides for a safer, healthier and well governed community.

File: Department, General

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## **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Resolution of the Board of Supervisors Proclaiming May 17-23, 2015 As National Public Works Week