



## COUNTY OF YORK, VIRGINIA

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# PROCLAMATION

## *Public Service Recognition Week*

*May 5 - May 11, 2024*

*WHEREAS, Public Service Recognition Week, established in 1985 by the President and Congress, pays tribute to the dedicated women and men serving our nation in various capacities within federal, state, county, and local government roles;*

*WHEREAS, public service embodies a noble vocation, characterized by unwavering dedication, integrity, and adherence to high ethical standards, often requiring significant personal sacrifice;*

*WHEREAS, public servants across all levels of government exert relentless efforts to enhance the lives of their fellow citizens and foster community well-being;*

*WHEREAS, public servants have bravely confronted unprecedented challenges and risks, including those posed by the global pandemic, economic instability, social upheaval, and environmental crises;*

*WHEREAS, in the face of adversity, public servants exhibit resilience, innovation, and courage, ensuring the provision of essential services, enhancing quality of life, and upholding superior public facilities;*

*WHEREAS, Americans benefit daily from the diligent work of public servants at federal, state, county, and municipal levels, deserving sincere gratitude, respect, and acknowledgment for their invaluable contributions to the common good;*

*WHEREAS, these often unheralded heroes sustain the functionality of our nation, state, counties, and local communities through their tireless endeavors;*

*WHEREAS, day in and day out, public servants deliver a broad spectrum of services expected by the American populace with efficiency and integrity;*

*WHEREAS, the absence of these dedicated public servants at every level would disrupt the continuity vital to a democracy that regularly undergoes changes in leadership and elected officials.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the York County Board of Supervisors hereby declares May 5-11, 2024, as Public Service Recognition Week and encourages residents of the County to honor those who serve as public servants, expressing gratitude for their remarkable achievements and contributions!*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the County of York, Virginia, to be affixed this 7th day of May, 2024.*



  
G. Stephen Roane, Jr., Chairman  
York County Board of Supervisors