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PROCLAMATION

WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK

MARCH 1-7, 2026

WHEREAS, the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC), founded in 1953, started as a local support network for a small number of women in the construction industry at the time; and

WHEREAS, nationally chartered in 1955, NAWIC provides its members with opportunities for professional development, education, networking, leadership training, public service, and more; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Tidewater 137 chapter of NAWIC, chartered in 1967, is a distinguished voice promoting the employment and advancement of women in construction; and

WHEREAS, it has unceasingly promoted the employment, advancement, and professional development of women in the construction industry; and

WHEREAS, the construction community has been a driving force behind community development through renovation and beautification projects, volunteering and outreach, promotion of skilled trades, and a positive vision for the future; and

WHEREAS, Women in Construction Week is an opportunity to recognize, not only women, but the many steadfast supporters of women in construction; and

WHEREAS, 2026 marks the 28th year of the celebration and recognition of Women in Construction Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the York County Board of Supervisors do hereby recognize the Greater Tidewater 137 chapter and its many dedicated members for its steadfast work on behalf and support of women in construction, and do proudly proclaim the week of March 1-7, 2026 as "Women in Construction Week," and encourage our citizens to congratulate the organization on its many accomplishments.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the County of York, Virginia, to be affixed this the 28th day of January, 2026.



Douglas R. Holroyd, Chairman
York County Board of Supervisors