## **Proclamation**

**WHEREAS**, public works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities and to the public health, high quality of life and well-being of the people of Mill Creek; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City's infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers and employees at all levels of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting our City's transportation, public buildings, other structures, parks and facilities essential for our citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Works maintenance crew works diligently above and beyond regular work hours to care for the City on nights, weekends, and during emergencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the knowledge and understanding of the community greatly influences the results that are attained by the qualified and dedicated employees of the City of Mill Creek Public Works and Community Services Department; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in Mill Creek to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the year 2019 marks the 59<sup>th</sup> annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, I, Pam Pruitt, the Mayor of the City of Mill Creek, on behalf of the City Council do hereby announce and proclaim to all citizens, that May 19-25, 2019, is Public Works Week. I urge all citizens to recognize our public works professionals for the substantial contributions they make to protecting and enhancing our community's safety and quality of life.

Mill Creek
WASHINGTON

Signed this 7th day of May, 2019

Pam Pruitt, Mayor

Attest

Gina Pfister, City Clerk

Bob Stowe, Interim City Manager