

City of Garden Grove

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Matthew J. Fertal  
Dept.: City Manager  
Subject: PROCLAMATION OF NATIONAL ENGINEERS WEEK 2012

From: William E. Murray  
Dept.: Public Works  
Date: January 24, 2012

OBJECTIVE

For City Council to proclaim the week of February 19-25, 2012 as National Engineers Week in the City of Garden Grove.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Whether it is a traffic signal, street rehabilitation, a storm drain, development review or water and sewer improvements, projects managed by the engineering staff in the City of Garden Grove are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives.

Our engineering staff manages a \$20 million dollar Capital Improvement Plan, which consists of projects addressing congestion, drainage, street infrastructure and water and sewer improvements throughout the City. Current projects include the construction of the Traffic Management Center, the Brookhurst Street Median Installation Project, the Well 31 Equipping and Lampson Reservoir Booster Station Improvements and the Twintree Lane-Haster Street Sewer Improvements.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Not Applicable

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council:

- Proclaim February 19-25, 2012 as National Engineers Week in the City of Garden Grove.

  
WILLIAM E. MURRAY, P.E.  
Public Works Director/City Engineer

  
By: Ana Neal  
Administrative Analyst

Attachment: Proclamation

**Recommended for Approval**

  
Matthew Fertal  
City Manager

## NATIONAL ENGINEERS WEEK

WHEREAS, Engineering services provided in our community are an integral and essential part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

WHEREAS, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of Engineering systems and programs such as streets, traffic, flood control, land development, capital improvement; and

WHEREAS, the safety and conform of this community greatly depend on these services; and

WHEREAS, the quality and effectiveness of these services, as well as their planning, design, and construction are vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of Engineering officials; and

WHEREAS, the ability of Engineering officials to effectively provide needed facilities and services is materially influenced by public awareness and understanding of the need for these services, and the role of Engineering officials in providing them.

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Garden Grove does hereby proclaim, February 19 - February 25, 2012, as National Engineers Week in the City of Garden Grove.