

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

CITY OF

DES PLAINES, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, *Public Service Recognition Week is celebrated during the first full week in May to honor the people who serve our nation at the federal, state, county, and city levels, who do the jobs that keep our country working; and*

WHEREAS, *public employees are the unsung heroes who go above and beyond to keep our communities safe and healthy; and*

WHEREAS, *the public servants include police officers, firefighters, teachers, doctors, nurses, safety inspectors, and countless other occupations, who provide diverse services with efficiency and integrity; and*

WHEREAS, *without these public servants at every level, continuity would be impossible in a democracy that regularly changes its leaders and elected officials; and*

WHEREAS, *employees of the City of Des Plaines serve the residents of our community with the highest degree of professionalism and commitment to improving the City's infrastructure, providing reliable services, and ensuring the health and safety of residents; and*

WHEREAS, *citizens are encouraged to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of government employees at all levels and celebrate our public servants who exemplify dedication to the common good.*

Now, therefore, I, ANDREW GOCZKOWSKI, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DES PLAINES, do hereby proclaim the week of May 7-13, 2023, as

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

Dated this 1st day of May, 2023



Andrew Goczowski, Mayor