

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE WEEK OF MARCH 17 TO MARCH 23, 2024 AS  
NATIONAL SURVEYORS WEEK

WHEREAS, National Surveyors Week was initially proclaimed by President Ronald Reagan on February 13, 1984; and is dedicated to recognizing and promoting the importance of the surveying profession in the United States;

WHEREAS, Surveying is the art and science of accurately determining the position of the points and distances between them; and is vitally important in the development of our city and country;

WHEREAS, once defined by the description of land boundaries, surveying has expanded today to include hydrographic surveys, engineering surveys (infrastructure design), geodetic surveys (precise global positioning for navigation) and cartographic surveys (mapping and charting);

WHEREAS, during the week, thousands of professional surveyors throughout the country will take part in local activities designed to introduce a new generation to the profession and highlight the use of technology in their day-to-day work;

WHEREAS, Surveying is important in building, transportation, communications, mapping, and in setting property boundaries; and throughout the years, the tools of surveying have become more high-tech and today include drones, lasers, remote sensing systems, and satellite imagery;

WHEREAS, the role of the surveyor has been, and will continue to be, an integral part in the development and advancement of the City of Greensboro;

WHEREAS, The City of Greensboro recognizes surveyors as a force for positive change and appreciates all their contributions to our community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That it hereby declares March 17 to March 23, 2024 as “National Surveyors Week” in the City of Greensboro and commend this observance to our citizens.