

## Proclamation



WHEREAS, public works services provided in our city are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

**WHEREAS,** public works professionals focus on improving and protecting our water supply, solid waste systems and wastewater treatment infrastructure and facilities to provide the most effective and efficient operations of these fundamental services;

**WHEREAS,** these services are vital to the public health, high quality of life, and well-being of the people of Hartsville and could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals; and

**WHEREAS,** during emergencies such as hurricanes, flooding and blocked roadways, public works remains an essential service with our dedicated employees working while others remain safe in their homes; and

**WHEREAS**, the health, safety and comfort of the citizens of Hartsville depend on these facilities, services and the professionals who operate and maintain them; and

**WHEREAS,** it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders, and children in Hartsville to have more knowledge and better understanding of the importance of public works systems in our community; and

**WHEREAS,** 2024 marks the 64<sup>th</sup> annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Casey Hancock, Mayor of the City of Hartsville in the State of South Carolina do hereby proclaim the week of May 19-26, 2024 as

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and encourage the citizens of Hartsville to show their support and appreciation by thanking our Public Works Professionals for all they do for our citizens.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Seal of the City of Hartsville.

Casey Hancock, Mayor

| ATTEST: |                                     |  |
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|         | Andrea D. Crenshaw, CMC, City Clerk |  |