

Legislation Text

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Proclamation recognizing all the vital services provided by *Allegheny County Department of Public Works.* 

*WHEREAS*, *Allegheny County Department of Public Works* services provided throughout Allegheny County are an integral part of our residents' everyday lives; and

*WHEREAS*, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of *public works* systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways and public building; and

*WHEREAS*, the health, safety and comfort of Allegheny County greatly depends on these vital facilities and services; and

*WHEREAS*, the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design and construction, is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of the *Allegheny County Department of Public Works* officials; and

*WHEREAS*, *Allegheny County Department of Public Works* is responsible for the approximately 780 miles of county roads and 550 bridges and culverts; and

*WHEREAS,* thanks to the unwavering dedication and determination of the *Allegheny County Department of Public Works* employees, the department successfully completed the following projects in 2018: 12 bridge projects; paved a total of 42.6 miles of roads; seven wall and landslide projects; inspected 10,071 inlets; repaired 1,030 of the 20,130 in-house road signs; painted 198 miles of road; and painted 9,000 feet of curb in the County Parks; and

*WHEREAS*, the efficiency and skillset of the qualified and dedicated personnel of the *public works department* is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform; and

*NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* that I, Allegheny County Council Member Robert Macey and All Members of Council do hereby urge all citizens to pay tribute to the vital services provided by *Allegheny County Department of Public Works* during this *National Public Works Week*, May 19-25, 2019.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, I have hereunto caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 22nd day of May 2019.