Sample Proclamation

Have you proclaimed the week of May 19 - 25, 2019 as Local Government Awareness Week?

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARENESS

Every effort is helpful to focus attention on the purpose and role of local government.

If you choose this approach, here is a sample proclamation you might use:

Proclamation

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARENESS WEEK 2019

WHEREAS community participation in local elections and voter turnouts are important; and
WHEREAS community involvement in local government decision making is essential to a healthy democratic system; and
WHEREAS community understanding of local government operations and the services it provides is of primary importance to meaningful participation at the local level:
NOW THEREFORE I, _____, Mayor/Chair of the _____, do hereby proclaim the week of May 19-25, 2019 as LOCAL GOVERNMENT AWARENESS WEEK.

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Mayor/Chair

Note: If you would like to continue to designate another week in May or at another week of the year, please feel free to do so. We encourage you to undertake a program that will best meet the needs of your community.

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