

**MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION
DECLARING FEBRUARY 19-25, 2023
NATIONAL ENGINEERSWEEK
IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE**

WHEREAS, engineers use their training, scientific knowledge and specialized skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and

WHEREAS, engineers help solve major technological challenges of our time - from designing efficient building systems to rebuilding towns devastated by natural disasters; and,

WHEREAS, engineering has been called the invisible or stealth profession because everything around us and things we use every day have been engineered in some way, yet we may not see the engineers behind the scenes or know much about engineering; and,

WHEREAS, EWeek promotes recognition among parents, teachers and students of the importance of a technical education and a high level of math, science and technology literacy, and motivates youth to pursue engineering careers in order to provide a diverse and vigorous engineering workforce; and,

WHEREAS, the year 2023 marks the 63RD annual National Engineers Week sponsored by the National Society of Professional Engineers. This year, 2023 promotes the theme of "Creating the Future".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Victor Gonzales, Mayor of Pflugerville, do hereby proclaim February 19-25, 2023 as National Engineers Week in the City of Pflugerville. I urge all citizens to join with representatives of the American Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events, and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our engineering professionals, and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting integrity of our infrastructure.

In Witness Whereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 14th day of February, 2023.

Victor Gonzales, Mayor

Attest:

Trista Evans, City Secretary