

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Public Works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' every day lives; and

WHEREAS, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of the Public Works systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways, public buildings and solid waste collection; and

WHEREAS, the health, safety, and comfort of this community greatly depends on the 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 public works officials; and

WHEREAS, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel who staff Public Works departments is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gerald Mobus, Councilman of the Borough of Watchung, on behalf of Mayor Albert Ellis, do hereby proclaim

the week of May 18 through 24, 2008

as

“National Public Works Week”

in the Borough of Watchung, and call upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our Public Works and to recognize the contributions which public works officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort, and quality of life.

Date:

Gerald Mobus, Councilman