



PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS,** Public employees at the federal, state, county, and municipal levels deserve recognition and high praise for the work they do to keep our communities running and thriving; and
- WHEREAS,** Public Service Recognition Week provides us the opportunity to celebrate these workers and to educate communities about the wide variety of ways Olathe employees make our community a better place; and
- WHEREAS,** City staff set the standard for excellence in public service and are committed to serving our community with respect, accountability, initiative, and integrity; and
- WHEREAS,** the dedication and commitment of City employees extend into the community through volunteer activities, being good neighbors, and setting a positive example as exemplary citizens; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Olathe is pleased and proud to join other local governments across the nation in observing Public Service Recognition Week and celebrating the many vital contributions of City employees to our organization and community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John Bacon, Mayor of the City of Olathe, do hereby proclaim May 3-9, 2026 as

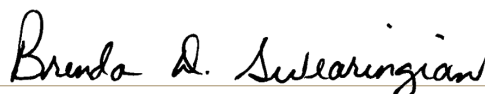
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in Olathe, urging all citizens to join in honoring our City employees and recognizing their achievements and contributions to the quality of life for all Olatheans.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Olathe to be affixed this 5th day of May, 2026.



John W. Bacon, Mayor



Brenda D. Swearingian, City Clerk