National Public Works Week Proclamation

May 17 – 23, 2020

WHEREAS, public works professionals focus on infrastructure, facilities and services that are of vital importance to sustainable and resilient communities and to the public health, high quality of life and well-being of the people of the City of Carroll; and,

WHEREAS, these infrastructure, facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, who are engineers, managers and employees of government and the private sector, who are responsible for rebuilding, improving and protecting our transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings, and other structures and facilities essential to our citizens; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in the City of Carroll to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understanding of the importance of public works and public works programs in our community; and,

WHEREAS, the year 2020 marks the 60th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric P. Jensen, Mayor of the City of Carroll, do hereby designate the week May 17 – 23, 2020 as National Public Works Week; I urge all citizens to join with representatives of the American Public Works Association/Canadian Public Works Association and government agencies in activities, events and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they make to protecting our health, safety, and quality of life.

Signed at **Carroll, Iowa** this 11th day of May, 2020.

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Eric P. Jensen, Mayor