

## **PROCLAMATION**

Municipal Clerks Week





May 5 - 11, 2019

Whereas, the

Office of the Municipal Clerk is a time honored and vital part of local government throughout the world; and

Whereas, the Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants; and

Whereas, the Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels; and

Whereas, Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all; and

Whereas, the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community; and

Whereas, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, provincial, county and international professional organizations.

**Whereas**, it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

**Now, Therefore,** I, Jerry Smith, Mayor of the City of DeKalb, Illinois, do hereby recognize the week of May 5-11, 2019 as Municipal Clerks Week, and extend appreciation to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.



*In Witness Thereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of DeKalb, to be affixed this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April 2019.

Jerry Sm	ith, Mayor	