



Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Council of Engineering Societies was founded in 1965 as an umbrella organization for the engineering societies, with a current membership of 16 organizations in Hawai'i; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Council of Engineering Societies works to improve the public image of engineers, encourage registration of all qualified engineers, and stimulate qualified students in public and private schools to enter engineering and related sciences; and

WHEREAS, National Engineers Week is traditionally scheduled to include February 22, which is the birthday of President George Washington, America's first engineer; and

WHEREAS, in observance of National Engineers Week, the Hawai'i Council of Engineering Societies sponsors activities to celebrate the accomplishments and contributions that engineers have made to society; and

WHEREAS, Engineers Week increases public awareness and appreciation of the profession through activities such as displays and exhibits by professional engineering societies, consulting engineering firms, manufacturing companies and student groups at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK BLANGIARDI, Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu, do hereby proclaim February 21 - 27, 2021, to be

ENGINEERS WEEK

to honor our local engineers for their high standards and professionalism and to increase public awareness of their important contributions to our community.



Done this 15th day of January, 2021,
in Honolulu, Hawai'i.

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