

Proclamation

PAYROLL WEEK September 7 - 11, 2020

- WHEREAS,** the American Payroll Association and its more than 20,000 members have launched a nationwide public awareness campaign that pays tribute to the nearly 150 million people who work in the United States and the payroll professionals who support the American system by paying wages, reporting worker earnings and withholding federal employment taxes; and
- WHEREAS,** payroll professionals in Southern Colorado play a key role in maintaining the economic health of Colorado Springs and other Southern Colorado cities, carrying out such diverse tasks as paying into the unemployment insurance system, providing information for child support enforcement, and carrying out tax withholding, reporting and depositing; and
- WHEREAS,** payroll departments collectively spend more than \$2.4 trillion annually complying with myriad federal and state wage and tax laws; and
- WHEREAS,** payroll professionals play an increasingly important role ensuring the economic security of American families by helping to identify noncustodial parents and making sure they comply with their child support mandates; and
- WHEREAS,** payroll professionals have become increasingly proactive in educating both the business community and the public at large about the payroll tax withholding systems; and
- WHEREAS,** payroll professionals meet regularly with federal and state tax officials to discuss both improving compliance with government procedures and how compliance can be achieved at less cost to both government and businesses; and
- WHEREAS,** the week in which Labor Day falls has been proclaimed National Payroll Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard Skorman, President of the Colorado Springs City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of September 7- 11, 2020 as

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in Colorado Springs, and support the efforts of the people who work in Southern Colorado, and the payroll profession.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Colorado Springs to be affixed this twenty-fifth day of August 2020.

Richard Skorman, President
Colorado Springs City Council