Proclamation
by Governor Earl Ray Tomblin

Whereas, public works infrastructure, facilities and services are of vital importance to sustainable communities and to the health, safety and well-being of the people of West Virginia; and

Whereas, such facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees from State and local units of Government and the private sector; and

Whereas, they plan, design, build, operate and maintain the transportation, water supply, water treatment and solid waste systems, public buildings and other structures and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

Whereas, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in West Virginia to gain knowledge of and to maintain progressive interest and understand the importance of public works and public works programs in their respective communities; and

Whereas, the year 2014 marks the 54th annual National Public Works Week sponsored by the American Public Works Association.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Earl Ray Tomblin, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim May 18-24, 2014, as:

Public Works Week

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to join with representative of the American Public Works Association and government agencies in activities and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they have made to our national health, safety, welfare and quality of life.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Fourteen, and in the One Hundred Fifty-First year of the State.

[Signature]
Earl Ray Tomblin
Governor

By the Governor:

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Natalie E. Tennant
Secretary of State