MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, engineers use their scientific and technical knowledge and skills in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and

WHEREAS, engineers face the major technological challenges of our time – from rebuilding towns devastated by natural disaster, cleaning up the environment, and assuring safe, clean, and efficient sources of energy, to designing information systems that will speed our country into the future; and

WHEREAS, engineers are encouraging our young math and science students to realize the practical power of their knowledge; and

WHEREAS, engineers are taking on environmental challenges with design, and leaning in to creative, practical solutions; and

WHEREAS, City of Madison engineers are pushing the envelope on creating technical solutions that create increased human quality of life through traffic and transportation engineer projects, facilities projects, water resources and flooding projects and beyond; and

WHEREAS, the City of Madison employs engineers across a wide range of disciplines – transportation, traffic safety, storm water, water, wastewater, mechanical, and electrical; and

WHEREAS, the City's engineers are leaders in the City's' efforts to create sustainable infrastructure and buildings to reduce our carbon footprint and increase our community's resiliency; and

WHEREAS, we will look more than ever to engineers and their knowledge and skills to meet the challenges of the twenty-first century.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Satya Rhodes-Conway, Mayor of the City of Madison, in support of the National Society of Professional Engineers, do hereby proclaim **February 19 through February 25, 2023**, as

ENGINEERS WEEK / EWeek

in the City of Madison.

Mayor Satya Rhodes-Conway
Signed and sealed this 25th day of January, 2023 at City Hall