



# PROCLAMATION

## May 19 – 25, 2013

### National Public Works Week

**WHEREAS**, public works services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizens' everyday lives; and

**WHEREAS**, the support of an understanding and informed citizenry is vital to the efficient operation of public works systems and programs such as water, sewers, streets and highways, public buildings, solid waste collection, parks and canal maintenance; and

**WHEREAS**, the health, safety, and comfort of this community greatly depends on these facilities and services; and

**WHEREAS**, the quality and effectiveness of these facilities, as well as their planning, design, and construction, is vitally dependent upon the efforts and skill of public works officials; and

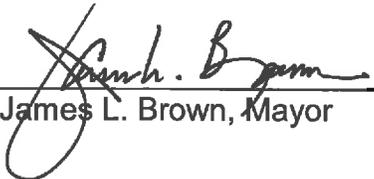
**WHEREAS**, the efficiency of the qualified and dedicated personnel, who staff public works departments, is materially influenced by the people's attitude and understanding of the importance of the work they perform; and

**WHEREAS**, this year's theme is "**Because of Public Works ...**" celebrates the hard work and dedication of the many public works professionals throughout the world.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Town Commission of Longboat Key, Florida does hereby proclaim the week of May 19 through May 25, 2013 as

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and calls upon all its citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with the issues involved in providing our public works; and to recognize the contributions which public works officials make every day to our health, safety, comfort, and quality of life.

  
James L. Brown, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Trish Granger, Town Clerk