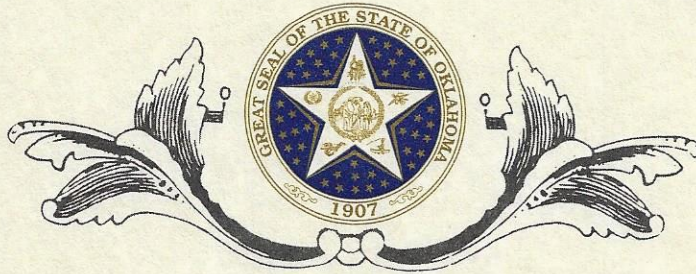


STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, land surveyors are trusted men and women who share their expertise of making measurements and applying this information to the needs of today's society; and

Whereas, a land surveyor's ability to share precise measurements and professional analysis of evidence is essential for resolving land boundary issues, and depended on for the design and construction of our country's infrastructure; and

Whereas, since the colonial era, surveyors have been community leaders, statesmen and influential citizens, and still today remain essential to the development of our communities, state and nation; and

Whereas, surveyors also work within federal, state and municipal governments, such as at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and National Geodetic Survey, where they establish and maintain the networks on which data can be uniformly identified; and

Whereas, surveyors and cartographers are working in the United States Geological Survey to develop The National Map, which will help first responders and emergency personnel during times of crisis, and with the Federal Emergency Management Agency to modernize flood maps that will better assist homeowners and commercial landowners in protecting themselves and their property against flood damage; and

Whereas, Surveyors Week is an opportunity to recognize the historical contributions of surveying and appreciate the new technologies that are constantly modernizing the profession;

Now, Therefore, I, J. Kevin Stitt, Governor, do hereby proclaim the week of March 17, 2019, as

"Surveyors Week"

in the state of Oklahoma.

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



Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 6th day of March, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and nineteen and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and eleventh year.

Michael Rogers
SECRETARY OF STATE

Kevin Stitt
GOVERNOR