



City of Naples, Florida

Professionalism in Local Government

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MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK May 3 - 9, 2015

A Proclamation, issued by Mayor John F. Sorey, III, on May 6, 2015, resolves that the week of May 3 - 9, 2015 is designated as "Municipal Clerks Week."

The Proclamation extends appreciation to all Municipal Clerks for the services with which they provide their communities. Specifically, the Proclamation cites that the Clerk "serves as the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels. It also honors Municipal Clerks for "continually striving to improve the administration of their duties through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations."

The International Institute of Municipal Clerks (IIMC), a professional association of City, Town, Township, Village, Borough, Deputy and County Clerks, sponsors Municipal Clerks Week. IIMC has 9,500 members throughout the United States, Canada and 15 other countries.

The functions of the Clerk necessitate a thorough knowledge of law procedure, administration, technology and interpersonal relations. To keep up with the consistent transformation in local government, many Clerks participate in continuing education and seminars and attend Clerk Institutes.

Patricia L Rambosk has served as City of Naples, City Clerk, since May of 2012 and has been a member of IIMC since December, 1994, and a member of the Florida Association of City Clerks.