

CITY OF JOHNSTON

Proclamation

OF THE JOHNSTON CITY COUNCIL

Building Safety Month May 2026

WHEREAS the City of Johnston is committed to recognizing that our growth and strength depend on the safety and essential role our homes, buildings and infrastructure play, both in everyday life and when disasters strike, and;

WHEREAS our confidence in the resilience of these buildings that make up our community is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians—building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers, plumbers and others in the construction industry – who work to ensure the safe construction of buildings, and;

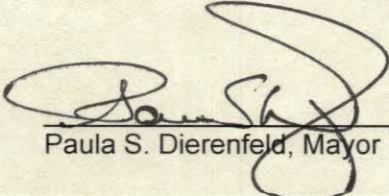
WHEREAS these modern building codes and standards include safeguards to protect the public from hazards such as hurricanes, snowstorms, tornadoes, wildland fires, floods, and earthquakes, and;

WHEREAS Building Safety Month is sponsored by International Code Council to remind the public about the critical role of our communities' largely unknown protectors of public safety—our code officials—who assure us of safe, sustainable and affordable buildings that are essential to our prosperity, and

WHEREAS "Built to Last" is the theme for Building Safety Month 2026, encourages us all to get involved and raise awareness about building safety on a personal, local and global scale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Paula Dierenfeld, Mayor of Johnston, do hereby proclaim the month of May 2026 as Building Safety Month. Accordingly, I encourage our citizens to join us as we participate in Building Safety Month activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Johnston to be affixed this 20th Day of April of 2026.



Paula S. Dierenfeld, Mayor