

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, public service is a vital pillar of a strong, thriving community, and those who dedicate their time and talents to serving the public play an essential role in maintaining the quality of life enjoyed by all residents; and

WHEREAS, Public Service Recognition Week provides an opportunity to honor the contributions of public employees at all levels of government and recognize their commitment to integrity, respect, collaboration, service, and excellence; and

WHEREAS, although Public Service Recognition Week was observed nationally from May 3–9, 2026, the City of Boerne takes this opportunity to formally express its appreciation for the public servants whose work strengthens our community throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the City of Boerne is fortunate to be served by a dedicated team of professionals whose hard work, expertise, and responsiveness ensure the effective delivery of high-quality, customer-focused essential services to our community; and

WHEREAS, public servants provide the essential services residents rely on each day, including public safety, education, infrastructure, utilities, emergency management, parks and recreation, libraries, courts, community planning, and many other functions that support a safe, vibrant, and well-served community; and

WHEREAS, we also extend our sincere appreciation to the public servants of Boerne Independent School District, Kendall County, and other public agencies whose work supports our residents, families, students, neighborhoods, and businesses with professionalism and care; and

WHEREAS, we further recognize the members of the Boerne City Council, as well as those who serve on our boards and commissions, whose leadership, guidance, and volunteerism help shape the future of our city; and

WHEREAS, the spirit of public service reflects the best of our community: people choosing to serve something larger than themselves, working together to solve problems, care for neighbors, strengthen public trust, and help Boerne continue to be an exemplary Hill Country community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Boerne affirms that service and excellence are not only organizational values, but civic values that strengthen the relationship between local government, public institutions, and the people we serve; and

WHEREAS, these individuals demonstrate dedication, adaptability, professionalism, and a deep sense of responsibility, often working behind the scenes to support the needs, safety, and well-being of our community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Frank Ritchie, Mayor of Boerne, do hereby recognize May 3–9, 2026, as

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

and call on all citizens to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of public servants for their many important contributions and in affirming that the work they do is valued, respected and essential to the prosperity of the community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

I have hereunto set my
hand and caused the seal of the City of Boerne,
to be affixed to this on the 12th day of May 2026.

Frank Ritchie, Mayor
City of Boerne, Texas