Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

WHEREAS, registered apprenticeships are vital components of talent and development in many high demand and high growth sectors and are recognized as critical post-secondary education training experiences for future employment; and

WHEREAS, the United States has pledged major resources to support apprenticeships in an effort to boost vocational education, workforce training, and job creation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria recognizes the strength and leadership displayed by apprentices. We appreciate the dedication and generosity of sponsors and participating employers who provide meaningful educational opportunities through on-the-job learning and related technical and theoretical instruction; and

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria commends and appreciates all those involved in this worthwhile endeavor since the positive impact apprenticeships have on individuals and businesses help to improve Peoria’s workforce and grow our economy;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Ardis, Mayor of the City of Peoria, Illinois, do hereby proclaim November 12 through 18, 2018 as

NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

In Peoria, Illinois.

Dated this 13th day of November 2018 A.D.