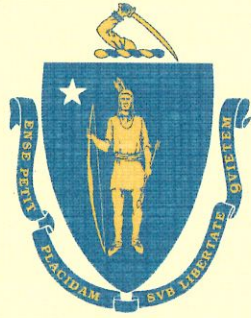


The Commonwealth of Massachusetts



A Proclamation

Whereas, *Land surveying is the oldest scientific profession of the civilized world, dating back more than 5,000 years; and*

Whereas, *Since the first surveyor in the Bay Colony plotted the town of Charlestown in 1692, Massachusetts has benefited greatly from the hard work and resourcefulness of those affiliated with the land surveying profession; and*

Whereas, *The property rights of citizens are dependent upon the skill of professional land surveyors who have mapped and landmarked these properties; and*

Whereas, *Members of the land surveying profession in Massachusetts subscribe to a rigid code of ethics, demonstrating a firm commitment to upholding the interest of the public at large,*

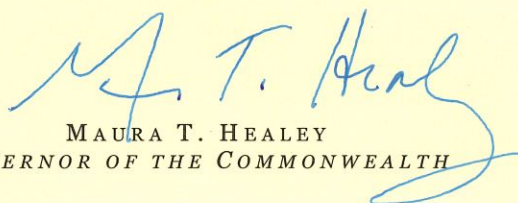
Now, Therefore, I, Maura T. Healey, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim the week of March 17th, 2024, to be,


PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS WEEK


And urge all residents of the Commonwealth to take cognizance of this event and participate fittingly in its observance.

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this seventeenth day of March, in the year two thousand and twenty-four, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-seventh.

BY HER EXCELLENCY


MAURA T. HEALEY
GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH


KIMBERLEY DRISCOLL
LT. GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH


WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

God Save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts