## A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD RECOGNIZING MAY 4<sup>th</sup>- MAY 10<sup>th</sup> AS PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

WHEREAS, the public sector plays a vital role in serving the needs of our residents, providing essential services, promoting the common good, and upholding the values of accountability, transparency, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, the City of Soledad's dedicated public servants work tirelessly in government agencies, departments, and organizations to contribute to the well-being and progress of our communities, striving each day to improve the lives of those they serve; and

WHEREAS, Public Service Recognition Week offers an opportunity to recognize and celebrate the contributions of public sector workers, highlighting their commitment to public service, professionalism, and excellence; and

WHEREAS, Many public servants, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters, utility operators, embassy employees, health care professionals, and others, risk their lives each day in service to the people of the United States and around the world; and

WHEREAS, Public servants carry out the most fundamental purpose of government – to ensure public safety and represent the public interest in addressing social, economic, and political challenges.

**NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Soledad hereby proclaims the week of May  $4^{th}$  – May  $10^{th}$  as **PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK**. We encourage all community members to join us in acknowledging public sector employees' dedication to ensuring that our City and our communities continue to run smoothly.

Dated on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 2025

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