

CITY OF  PITTSBURGH  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

*A Proclamation*

*By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh,  
I do hereby issue this proclamation honoring*

**PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK**

**May 1-7, 2011**

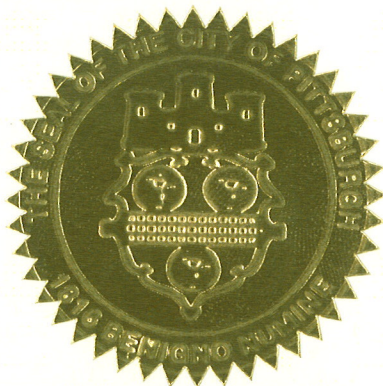
*WHEREAS, celebrated the first week of May since 1985, Public Service Recognition Week is a nationwide public education campaign honoring the men and women who serve our nation as federal, state, county, and local government employees and ensure that our government is the best in the world. These unsung heroes do the work that keeps our nation working; and*

*WHEREAS, many public workers, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters, border patrol officers, embassy employees, health care professionals, and others risk their lives each day to serve the people of the United States and around the world; and*

*WHEREAS, the realm of public service encompasses positions from teachers, doctors, and scientists, to train conductors, astronauts, and social workers. Countless occupations involve public service work. Day in and day out they provide the diverse services demanded by the American people with efficiency and integrity; and*

*WHEREAS, without these public servants, at every level, continuity would be impossible in our democracy that regularly changes its leaders and elected officials.*

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Luke Ravenstahl, Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, recognize the accomplishments and contributions of public service employees at all levels – federal, state, county and city. I do hereby declare May 1-7, 2011, “Public Service Recognition Week” here in our most livable City of Pittsburgh.



*Luke Ravenstahl*

**LUKE RAVENSTAHL**

*Mayor*