



*City Of Raleigh*  
*North Carolina*

**Charles Meeker**  
Mayor

**PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, Americans are served every single day by public servants at the federal, state, county and city levels. These unsung heroes do the work that keeps our nation working; and,

WHEREAS, public employees take not only jobs, but oaths; and,

WHEREAS, many public servants, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters, and others, risk their lives each day in service to the people of the United States and around the world; and,

WHEREAS, public servants include teachers, safety inspectors...laborers, computer technicians, social workers, the staff of the City of Raleigh ...and countless other occupations. Day in and day out they provide the diverse services demanded by the citizens with efficiency and integrity; and,

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

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Charles Meeker, Mayor of the City of Raleigh, do hereby proclaim May 1-7, 2011 as

**PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK**

and encourage all citizens to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of government employees at all levels – federal, state, county and municipal.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Raleigh, to be affixed this 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of May, 2011

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Charles Meeker  
Mayor