A Proclamation

Whereas, Women are valuable assets in the construction trades in such roles as business owners and executives, managers and office administrators, attorneys, architects, engineers, accountants, estimators, draftsmen and tradesmen performing welding, electricity, carpentry, plumbing, site preparation and other jobs; and

Whereas, The Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC) have distinguished themselves for over 40 years as the voice of women in construction throughout Massachusetts; and

Whereas, The work done by Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of NAWIC, BWIC and all women in construction in Massachusetts, has benefited Massachusetts through community outreach and educational programs; and

Whereas, The Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of NAWIC, BWIC and all women in construction in Massachusetts, have promoted the employment and advance of women in the construction industry throughout Massachusetts; and

Whereas, The Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of NAWIC, BWIC and all women in construction in Massachusetts, have worked to raise the working and financial conditions of men and women in the construction trades in Massachusetts; and

Whereas, The Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of NAWIC, BWIC and all women in construction in Massachusetts, have fostered community development, promotion of skilled trades careers, and a positive vision of the future for young women in Massachusetts interested in the construction trade; and

Whereas, The Boston (No. 15) and Greater Worcester (No. 241) Chapters of NAWIC, BWIC and all women in construction in Massachusetts, have sought to achieve successful results for women in construction in Massachusetts in a cooperative spirit with other local and national organizations.

Now, Therefore, I, Charles D. Baker, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim March 3rd to the 9th, 2019, to be, Women in Construction Week

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

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this twenty-first day of February, in the year two thousand and nineteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-second.

By His Excellency

Charles D. Baker
Governor of the Commonwealth

Karyn E. Polito
Lt. Governor of the Commonwealth

William Francis Galvin
Secretary of the Commonwealth

God Save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts