City of Santa Rosa

Proclamation

WHEREAS, water is Santa Rosa's most valuable resource and without it our community, economy, and environment could not thrive; and

WHEREAS, we are extremely proud of the role Santa Rosa Water plays in delivering reliable water and sewer service, capturing storm water to prevent flooding, and protecting our watershed and the environment; and

WHEREAS, thanks to our highly skilled team of water experts we are ensuring a dependable and resilient water future for our community; and

WHEREAS, our community's drinking water is regularly tested to ensure it meets all drinking water standards; and

WHEREAS, Santa Rosa Water operates and maintains over 1,200 miles of water and sewer pipes; and

WHEREAS, our team operates the Laguna Treatment Plant that recycles millions of gallons of wastewater daily and beneficially reuses nearly 100% of our recycled water annually; and

WHEREAS, Santa Rosa Water maintains 340 miles of storm drains and cares for 100 miles of creeks; and

WHEREAS, Santa Rosa's water professionals work 24/7, 365 days a year, to monitor, maintain, and modernize our community's water, sewer, reuse and storm drain systems; and

WHEREAS, Santa Rosa Water annually invests over $160 million to improve the resiliency of the public's systems; and

WHEREAS, the 275+ Santa Rosa Water professionals are dedicated to protecting our community's future.

NOW, THEREFORE, MAY IT BE RESOLVED, that I, Mark Stapp, Mayor of the city of Santa Rosa, on behalf of the entire City Council, in recognition of our community, do hereby proclaim October 4-12, 2025 as Water Professionals' Appreciation Week and extends its sincere gratitude to our Santa Rosa Water professionals.

WATER PROFESSIONALS' APPRECIATION WEEK

Mayor Mark Stapp
September 30, 2025