

Office of the MAYOR

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Proclamation

PUBLIC POWER WEEK

Whereas, we, the citizens of City of Groton, place high value on local control over community services and therefore have chosen to operate community-owned, locally controlled, not-for-profit electric, water, and sewer and, as consumers and owners of our electric, water, and sewer utilities, have a direct say, through their Groton Utilities Commission, in utility operations and policies; and

Whereas, Groton Utilities is a community asset that contributes to the well-being of the citizens, and the employees are neighbors serving neighbors, providing homes, businesses, and local government agencies with not-for-profit electric services that are safe, reliable, and cost-effective; and

Whereas, Groton Utilities is a dependable and trustworthy institution whose local operation provides many consumer protections and continues to make our community and the City of Groton a better place in which to live and work, as well as contributions to protecting the environment;

Whereas, the City of Groton Mayor, Council, Commission and Residents recognize the people behind Groton Utilities and public power who remain committed to keeping our community energized; and

Whereas, Groton Utilities is celebrating Public Power Week along with more than 2,000 other community-owned, not-for-profit electric utilities nationwide;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Keith Hedrick, Mayor of the City of Groton, on behalf of the citizens and City Council do hereby proclaim the week of October 2-8, 2023 as

PUBLIC POWER WEEK

Recognizing all of the teams at Groton Utilities that play a vital role in keeping our community electric, water and sewer services up and running; from linemen and substation personnel, to engineering, operations and administration, all whom contributes to Groton Utilities' and the great public power community success.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of October, 2023.

Keith Hedrick
Mayor, City of Groton

