

Proclamation
“Apprenticeship Week”
November 12-18, 2018

Whereas, the demand for skilled workers continues to increase, the modern Registered Apprenticeship system is a proven method to meet this demand and helps Adams County prepare for economic development and economic growth; and

Whereas, apprenticeship is a unique, flexible training system that combines job-related technical instruction with structured, paid, on-the-job learning experiences. Modern Registered Apprenticeship contributes to increased hiring rates and lower unemployment by adding to the number of trained workers, and

Whereas, Registered Apprenticeship training programs prepare Adams County's workers to compete in our changing economy. The training keeps pace with advancing technologies and work-based innovations; and

Whereas, today, Adams County employers, business associations and unions sponsor modern, registered apprenticeship programs which are up to date with technology. There are approximately 100 active apprentices training in more than 10 skilled occupations; and

Whereas, over the years, hundreds of individuals in Adams County have completed a registered apprenticeship in both union and non-union programs; and

Whereas, Adams County employers have participated in Apprenticeship since the late 1930's teaching skills that result in rewarding careers; and

Whereas, modern apprentice training is a way to obtain training, occupational licensing and earn a livable wage.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved That, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Adams, State of Colorado, does hereby proclaim the week of November 12-18, 2018 as apprenticeship week in Adams County.

Bone-fide, Registered apprenticeship programs in Adams County:

COLORADO LABORERS AND CONTRACTORS, JATC
CUMMINS, INC.
H.E.S. ELEVATOR SERVICES, INC.
IEC ROCKY MOUNTAIN
PSCO SYSTEM SUPERVISORY, JATC
UNITED POWER, INC. JATC

In witness whereof, we have set our hands and caused the seal of the county to be affixed November 13, 2018.