



## ***PROCLAMATION***

### ***National Payroll Week***

**Whereas** the American Payroll Association and its 23,000 members have launched a nationwide public awareness campaign that pays tribute to the more than 160 million people who work in the United States and the payroll professionals who support the American system by paying wages, reporting worker earnings and withholding federal employment taxes; and

**Whereas** National Payroll Week is designed to help workers in America better understand issues related to the payroll and tax systems, as well as to educate payroll professionals and employers about important payroll-related regulatory and compliance issues; and

**Whereas** payroll professionals in **Clarkston, Georgia** play a key role in maintaining the economic health of **Clarkston**, carrying out such diverse tasks as paying into the unemployment insurance system, providing information for child support enforcement, and carrying out tax withholding, reporting, and depositing; and

**Whereas** payroll departments collectively spend more than \$16 billion annually complying with a myriad of federal, state, and local wage tax laws; and

**Whereas** payroll professionals play an increasingly important role ensuring the economic security of American families by helping to identify noncustodial parents and making sure they comply with their child support mandates; and

**Whereas** payroll professionals have become increasingly proactive in educating both the business community and the public at large about the payroll tax withholding systems; and

**Whereas** payroll professionals meet regularly with federal and state tax officials to discuss both improving compliance with government procedures and how compliance can be achieved at less cost to both government and businesses; and

**Whereas** the week, September 7 to September 11, 2015, in which Labor Day falls has been proclaimed **National Payroll Week**, I hereby give additional support to the efforts of the people who work in **Clarkston, GA** and of the payroll profession by proclaiming the first full week of September, **National Payroll Week**.

*DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day August, 2015.*

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*Mayor Ted Terry, City of Clarkston*

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
*City Clerk*

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