

# Proclamation

## Municipal Clerks' Week

May 5 through May 11, 1991

- Whereas:** it is imperative to the democratic process that a well-informed citizenry participate in the operation of their local government; and
- Whereas:** the office of Municipal Clerk provides the communication link between the citizens, the local government legislative body and administrative departments, and agencies of government at other levels; and
- Whereas:** the Municipal Clerks serve as the information center on the functions of their local government by making available the records of local government, distribution of published materials and reports, presentations before community and school groups, and answering questions on the government activities and programs; and
- Whereas:** the Municipal Clerks and their staff have upon their own initiative participated in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, and international professional organizations which not only improved the operation of their office but through their achievements and awards have brought favorable publicity to the communities that they serve.

**Now, Therefore, I** RICHARD STRACHAN, Mayor of  
BERTHOUD, COLORADO do recognize the week of May 5 through  
 May 11, 1991, as **Municipal Clerks' Week** and further extend appreciation to our Municipal  
 Clerk, ORAHBELLE PATTERSON and to all Municipal Clerks for the  
 vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.

**Dated this** 1 day of MAY, 1991

**Attest:**

Orahbelle Patterson

Richard D. Strachan  
 Mayor