

PROCLAMATION
National Volunteer Week

WHEREAS, volunteers strengthen communities through service, compassion, and dedication, contributing their time and talents to improve the lives of others; and

WHEREAS, millions of individuals across the nation generously give their time to support nonprofit organizations, schools, faith-based groups, community programs, and civic initiatives; and

WHEREAS, volunteer service fosters collaboration, builds stronger neighborhoods, and promotes a spirit of unity and civic responsibility; and

WHEREAS, the observance of National Volunteer Week provides an opportunity to recognize and celebrate the individuals and groups whose selfless contributions make a meaningful difference in our communities; and

WHEREAS, encouraging volunteerism inspires people of all ages to become engaged citizens and active participants in building a brighter future; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John D. Noak, Mayor of the Village of Romeoville, do hereby proclaim the week of April 19-25, 2026 as National Volunteer Week, and I urge all residents to recognize and thank volunteers for their invaluable service and to consider giving their time and talents to causes that strengthen our community.