

**CITY OF ROCHELLE, ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR**

***Proclamation
Municipal Clerks Week
May 1 – May 7, 2011***

Whereas, The Office of the Municipal Clerk, a time-honored and vital part of local government exists in countries throughout the world; and

Whereas, The Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants; and

Whereas, The Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels; and

Whereas, Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all.

Whereas, The Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community.

Whereas, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations.

Whereas, It is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

*Now Therefore, I, Chet J. Olson, Mayor of the City of Rochelle do hereby proclaim May 1st through May 7th, 2011 to be **MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK** and further extend appreciation to our Municipal Clerk Bruce W. McKinney, Deputy Clerk Judy Schermerhorn, and to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.*

Dated this 25th day of April 2011.

Chet J. Olson, Mayor

Attest: _____
Bruce W. McKinney, CMC
City Clerk, City of Rochelle

