



CONSTITUTION WEEK
September 17-23, 2011

CITY OF ROCHELLE, ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the United States of America, the guardian of our liberties, embodies the principles of limited government in a Republic dedicated to rule by law; and

WHEREAS, September 17, 2011 marks the two hundred and twenty-fourth anniversary of the framing of the Constitution of the United States of America by the 1787 Constitutional Convention; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper to accord official recognition of this magnificent document and its memorable anniversary and to the patriotic celebrations which will commemorate it; and

WHEREAS, Public Law 915 guarantees the issuing of a proclamation each year by the President of this great country designated September 17 through 23 as Constitution Week; and

NOW THEREFORE, I, Chet Olson, Mayor of the City of Rochelle do hereby proclaim the week of September 17th through September 23rd as CONSTITUTION WEEK and ask our citizens to reaffirm the ideals of the framers of the Constitution by vigilantly protecting the freedoms guaranteed to us through the guardian of the liberties.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Rochelle to be affixed this 12th day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and eleven.

Chet Olson, Mayor

Attest: _____

Bruce W. McKinney, CMC
City Clerk

