

**PROCLAMATION
BUILDING SAFETY MONTH
MAY 2026**

WHEREAS: The community members of Wilsonville spend considerable time at home, at school, work, worship, and play in buildings; and

WHEREAS: Our city places a high value on ensuring buildings are safe for the protection of its community members from disasters such as fire, windstorms, earthquakes, landslides, floods, and other natural hazards; and

WHEREAS: “Built to Last!” the national theme for Building Safety Month, encourages community members to raise awareness of the importance of building and maintaining safe structures, fire prevention, disaster mitigation, water conservation, ADA accessibility, energy efficiency, alternative energy, and new technologies in the construction industry; and

WHEREAS: The effective administration of building safety codes affects our community and gives us confidence that our structures are safe and sound; and

WHEREAS: Our confidence is achieved through the devotion of professional building inspectors, fire prevention officers, design professionals, and licensed contractors - who work year-round to ensure the construction of safe, durable, and sustainable buildings; and

WHEREAS: In observance of Building Safety Month, Wilsonville community members are reminded about the benefits of safe and sustainable spaces whether at home, at work, or places where we gather in our communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Shawn O’Neil, Mayor of the City of Wilsonville, do hereby proclaim the month of May 2026 as:

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

I encourage all Wilsonville residents to join communities across America with participation in Building Safety Month activities.

Dated this 4th day of May 2026.

Shawn O’Neil, Mayor

STATE OF OREGON
PROCLAMATION
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

- WHEREAS:** Oregonians spend considerable time at home, school, work, worship and play in buildings; and
- WHEREAS:** The State of Oregon places a high value on ensuring buildings are resilient and safe for the protection of Oregonians from disasters such as fire, windstorms, earthquakes, landslides, floods, and other natural hazards; and
- WHEREAS:** Building Safety Month, encourages community members to get involved and raise awareness about building safety on a personal, local, and national scale through implementing effective construction codes for structural integrity, fire prevention, disaster mitigation, water conservation, ADA accessibility, energy efficiency, alternative energy, and new technologies in the construction industry; and
- WHEREAS:** Our confidence in the structural integrity, energy efficiency, and safety of our structures is achieved through the devotion of professional building inspectors, licensed contractors, fire prevention officers, and design professionals who work year-round to ensure the safe construction of buildings; and
- WHEREAS:** In observance of Building Safety Month, Oregonians are reminded about the benefits of safe, durable, accessible, energy efficient, and sustainable spaces.

**NOW,
THEREFORE:** I, Tina Kotek, Governor of the State of Oregon, hereby proclaim May 2026 to be

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

in Oregon and encourage all Oregonians to join in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the Great Seal of the State of Oregon to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Salem in the State of Oregon on this day April 23, 2026.



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tina Kotek".

Tina Kotek, Governor

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tobias Read".

Tobias Read, Secretary of State