



Proclamation

of Sedgwick County, Kansas

Founded in 1870

WHEREAS, the public procurement profession plays a significant role in the efficiency and effectiveness of both government and business; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the purchase of goods and services, procurement professionals add value to the organization by performing such functions as executing, implementing and administering contracts, developing strategic procurement strategies, and cultivating working relationships with suppliers and other departments within the organization; and

WHEREAS, public procurement professionals in Sedgwick County and in other public and private organizations have tremendous influence on the economic conditions in the United States, with accumulative purchasing power running into the billions of dollars; and

WHEREAS, the public procurement professionals in Sedgwick County recognize, support, and practice the Public Procurement Values and Guiding Principles of Accountability, Ethics, Impartiality, Professionalism, Service, and Transparency, established by NIGP – The Institute for Public Procurement, as fundamental tenets of the public procurement profession; and

WHEREAS, the public procurement professionals in Sedgwick County are committed to providing high-caliber strategic, logistical, and operational support of all departments within Sedgwick County;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Chairman Peter F. Meitzner, and the Board of Sedgwick County Commissioners, do hereby proclaim March 10, 2021 as

PROFESSIONAL BUYER'S DAY

in Sedgwick County and urge all citizens to join us in recognizing the role of the purchasing and materials management profession within business, industry, and government.

March 10, 2021



Chair, Board of County Commissioners
Sedgwick County, Kansas

attest:


Ch. Dep. County Clerk – Sedgwick County, Kansas

