

2022 CITY EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION CALENDAR

The Kentucky League of Cities (KLC) has curated a calendar of city-related recognition days, weeks, and months to help cities take simple steps to recognize municipal employees and acknowledge diversity. The calendar also lists events to help heighten awareness of important public safety issues.

SIMPLE WAYS TO USE THIS INFORMATION:

- * Mention employees at departmental or city meetings
- * Create a city proclamation recognizing employees
- * Thank departments on social media
- * Talk with local media about what city employees do for your community during these days, weeks, or months
- * Thank employees personally or with a note, card, visit, or call
- * For specific resources, just Google the day, week, or month

JANUARY

National Mentoring Month	
9	National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day
24	Community Manager Day
28	Have Fun at Work Day

FEBRUARY

Black History Month	
Burn Awareness Month	
Heart Health Month	
17	Random Acts of Kindness Day
20-26	Engineers Week

MARCH

Women's History Month	
Severe Weather Awareness Month	
Building Safety Month	
8	International Women's Day
18	Transit Driver Appreciation Day
20-26	National Poison Prevention Week

APRIL

Celebrate Diversity Month	
National Work Zone Awareness Month	
10-16	Public Safety Telecommunicators Week
12	City Attorneys - Be Kind to Lawyers Day
22	Earth Day
22-26	National Playground Safety Week
27	Administrative Professionals Day



MAY

Asian American & Pacific Islander Heritage Month	
Mental Health Awareness Month	
Distracted Driving Awareness Month	
National Preservation Month	
1 - 7	Municipal Clerks Week
1 - 7	National Travel & Tourism Week
1 - 7	Public Service Recognition Week
4	International Firefighters Day
11	Receptionists Day
12	Night Shift Workers Day
15-21	EMS Appreciation Week
15-21	National Police Week
15-21	National Public Works Week
19	Celebrate Your Elected Officials Day
21	National Armed Forces Day

JUNE

Immigrant Heritage Month	
LGBTQ Pride Month	
National Safety Month	
17	Global Sanitation Workers/Garbage Man Day
19	Juneteenth
17-23	Waste & Recycling Workers Week

JULY

National Fireworks Safety Month	
Parks & Recreation Appreciation Month	
6	Take Your Webmaster to Lunch Day
15	Parks & Rec Professionals Appreciation
26	Disability Independence Day
28	National Intern Day

AUGUST

National Civility Month	
National Water Quality Month	
Back-to-School Safety Month	
21	National Senior Citizens Day
26	Women's Equality Day

SEPTEMBER

Firefighter Appreciation Month	
National Preparedness Month	
11	National Day of Service and Remembrance
13	International Programmers Day
15-10/15	Hispanic Heritage Month
20	IT Professionals Day
27	Human Resources Professionals Day
27	World Tourism Day



OCTOBER

Cybersecurity Awareness Month	
Disability Employment Awareness Month	
Eye Injury Protection Month	
National Protect Your Hearing Month	
2	Custodial Workers Recognition Day
10	Indigenous Peoples' Day
9-15	Fire Protection Week
9	Fire Prevention Day
17	Boss's Day
28	First Responders Day

NOVEMBER

Native American Heritage Month	
National Healthy Skin Month	
10	National Accounting Day
11	Veterans Day
13-21	Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Week

DECEMBER

Universal Human Rights Month	
Winter Weather Preparedness Month	
3	International Day of Persons with Disabilities

Sources include: Halo Recognition, Semos Cloud, National Recreation & Parks Association, PoliceFoundation.org, National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians, IIMC, Partnership for Public Service, Waste&RecyclingWorkersWeek.org