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## Media Advisory

### **Arapahoe County celebrates National Public Works Week**

*County to conduct demonstrations of road repair equipment at libraries*

**Littleton, Colo** –Arapahoe County Public Works and Development Department and the City of Centennial will celebrate National Public Works Week May 20-26 to show the central role public works plays in the life of a community.

Public Works and Development will display road repair equipment at different Arapahoe Library District branches throughout the week. Drivers will explain how the equipment is used and conduct demonstrations.

Instituted as a public education campaign by the American Public Works Association in 1960, National Public Works Week calls attention to the importance of public works in community life. The week seeks to enhance the prestige of the often-unsung heroes of our society – the professionals who serve the public every day with quiet dedication.

**When:** Wednesday, May 23, 10-11 a.m.

**Where:** Southglenn Library (7500 S. University Blvd., #101, Centennial)

**What:** Story time for children pre-school through elementary. Demonstrations of road repair equipment.

**When:** Thursday, May 24, 10-11 a.m.

**Where:** Sheridan Library (3201 S. Oxford Ave. Sheridan,)

**What:** Story time for children ages 2-6. Demonstrations of road repair equipment.

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