**SAMPLE PROCLAMATION
FOR CITY OR STATE**

*How to use this document:*

* *Fill in the blanks as appropriate and print on your council or association letterhead.*
* *Add any other statements you would like to make about your council's activities.*
* *Contact your mayor or governor’s office to request that the proclamation be passed.*
* *If you have contacts in the governor's office, try to get a statewide proclamation passed.*

*If the Mayor/Governor's office agrees to issue the proclamation, some media outlets may send a photographer to cover the story. Others make ask that you send a high-res photo and caption to the editor. Distribute the photos and a copy of the signed proclamation to your local media immediately following the event.*

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Whereas the number of existing housing units in the United States exceeds 143 million, and

Whereas American households spent approximately $480 billion over the last four quarters on maintaining and improving their homes, and

Whereas professional remodeling contractors provide a valuable service to homeowners and their communities by contributing to the maintenance, value and beauty of their homes, and

Whereas (LOCAL REMODELERS COUNCIL NAME) joins with nearly 60 state and local affiliate chapters of the National Association of Home Builders in recognizing the importance of selecting professional remodelers, the availability of accurate consumer information, and the many benefits of a professionally remodeled home, and

Whereas (LOCAL REMODELERS COUNCIL NAME) will celebrate May 2024 as National Home Remodeling Month by (DESCRIBE LOCAL REMODELERS ACTIVITIES), and

Now, therefore, be it resolved that I, (MAYOR OR GOVERNOR) of (CITY OR STATE) declare May 2024 as (CITY OR STATE) National Home Remodeling Month.