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PROCLAMATION

National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 9-15, 2017

WHEREAS, emergencies can occur at anytime that require police, fire or emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs the prompt response of police officers, firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and

WHEREAS, the safety of our public safety officers is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the Cochise County Sheriff's Office communications center; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the first and most critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the single vital link for our public safety officers by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and insuring their safety; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators of the Cochise County Sheriff's Office have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients; and

WHEREAS, each dispatcher has exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, the Cochise County Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim the week of April 9 through 15, 2017 to be National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Cochise County in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our County and citizens safe.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of April 2017.

Ann English, Chairman

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