



Lake County Illinois

Legislation Text

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WHEREAS, the United States Congress established the second full week of April each year as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week; and

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs, the prompt response of law enforcement, fire fighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and

WHEREAS, public safety telecommunicators are the driving force behind our Nation's emergency rescue services; and

WHEREAS, the men and women who dispatch emergency responders, though not visible to the public, play a critical role in communication with citizens in emergency situations; and

WHEREAS, the public is dependent upon public safety telecommunicators to notify emergency personnel promptly, clearly and calmly; and

WHEREAS, are instrumental in comforting and reassuring residents and can be vital in providing guidance and support in stressful situations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lake County Board does hereby proclaim April 12 to April 18 as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Lake County Board does hereby thank the 27 dedicated professionals in the Lake County Sheriff's 911 Communications Center for the prompt and professional dispatch services provided to the Lake County Sheriff's Office, Lake County Forest Preserve District, Lake County MEG, Lake County Major Crimes Task Force, Lake County Emergency Management Agency, Lake County Department of Transportation and the Lake County Animal Control Department.

DATED, at Waukegan, Lake County, Illinois on April 14, 2015.