



Proclamation
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO
Recognizing May 15, 2015 as
Peace Officers' Memorial Day
And the Coinciding Events and Activities that Acknowledge
National Police Week

Whereas, in 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation which designated May 15th as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week in which that date falls as National Police Week; and

Whereas, Peace Officers' Memorial Day and National Police Week activities pay tribute to the law enforcement officers who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our country and to display appreciation for all those who currently serve on the front lines of the battle against crime; and

Whereas, tens of thousands of law enforcement officers, families and survivors from around the world converge on Washington, DC to recognize and appreciate the legacy of local, State, and Federal law enforcement officers who serve and protect us with courage and dedication; and

Whereas, by Presidential order, the flag of the United States be flown at half-staff on May 15th in honor of Peace Officers' Memorial Day.

Now therefore be it proclaimed: *The Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado does hereby recognize May 15, 2015 as Peace Officers' Memorial Day and acknowledges with great appreciation the activities and events that honor Peace Officers, their families and survivors during National Police Week.*

Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 5th day of May, 2015.

Attest:

Jim Mitrisin, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

by:

Deputy Clerk

Brian Veerkamp, Chair, Board of Supervisors