

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF HORRY  
CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH



## NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' WEEK MAY 7-13, 2023

WHEREAS, Myrtle Beach's detention staff members are trained law enforcement professionals who serve in many capacities, working in demanding and stressful conditions and facing challenges and dangers that may put their lives at risk; and

WHEREAS, Correctional officers are responsible for supervising inmates' conduct to maintain security within the facility, while promoting positive behavior, attitudes and skills within the inmate population in order to reduce recidivism and promote successful reentry into the community; and

WHEREAS, The detention officers and staff of the Myrtle Beach Police Department strive to maintain a safe working and living environment inside the facility, and our community recognizes the important work and sacrifices that our corrections officers make each day to protect the citizens of Myrtle Beach; and

WHEREAS, The City of Myrtle Beach's detention officers exhibit compassion, understanding and professionalism as they assist the public during stressful situations;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it proclaimed that the Myrtle Beach City Council hereby declares the week of May 7-13, 2023, as National Correctional Officers' Week in recognition of the outstanding service that these men and women provide to the city's residents and visitors.

*Signed and sealed this 25th day of April 2023.*



*Brenda Bethune*

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*Jennifer Adkins*

JENNIFER ADKINS, CITY CLERK