

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF HORRY
CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH



NATIONAL POLICE WEEK AND PEACE OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY

WHEREAS, In 1962, United States President John F. Kennedy and Congress jointly proclaimed May 15 as National Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and cited the calendar week in which May 15 falls as National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Myrtle Beach Police Department play a critical role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of our citizens, community members and visitors; and

WHEREAS, It is vital that all citizens know and understand the responsibilities, hazards and sacrifices that our law enforcement officers make on a daily basis; and

WHEREAS, The honorable members of the Myrtle Beach Police Department recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, and protecting against violence and disorder;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Myrtle Beach City Council calls upon the citizens of Myrtle Beach to observe National Police Week, May 14-20, 2023, in commemoration of all law enforcement officers, both past and present, who have rendered faithful, loyal and dedicated service to their communities; and

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED that we call upon Myrtle Beach citizens to observe Peace Officers' Memorial Day on Monday, May 15, in memory of those law enforcement officers who, through their courageous deeds, made the ultimate sacrifice to their community, and to recognize and pay respect to the survivors of our fallen heroes.

Signed and sealed this Ninth day of May 2023.



Brenda Bethune

BRENDA BETHUNE, MAYOR

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JENNIFER ADKINS, CITY CLERK