



Proclamation

of the City Council

Yuba City Police Department

National Police Week

May 15 - 21, 2022

WHEREAS, in 1962 President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation designating May 15th as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, an annual observance to honor the nation's fallen law enforcement officers as "men and women of courage, judgement and dedication;" and

WHEREAS, the calendar week in which it falls has been designated as National Police Week, a time of reflection and appreciation for the ultimate sacrifices made by the exceptionally dedicated men and women of law enforcement who were killed or disabled in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens understand the challenges, duties and responsibilities of their police department and that the members of our police department recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence or disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deceptions and the weak against oppression or intimidation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Yuba City is grateful for the day-to-day heroism of our officers, both past and present, as well as their families, who have given so much of their lives in service to our community; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Dave Shaw, Mayor of the City of Yuba City, on behalf of the entire Council and the citizens we serve, do hereby recognize and honor the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

FURTHER, the City Council of the City of Yuba City wishes to honor all the police officers who, through their courageous deeds, have lost their lives or have become disabled in the performance of duty. May we always remember their tremendous sacrifice and the loved ones they left behind.

Done on this 17th day of May, 2022 in the City of Yuba City, County of Sutter, State of California.