



## **Town of Bladensburg, Maryland RESOLUTION NO. 11 - 2024**

**Date Introduced: May 13, 2024**

**Date Adopted: May 13, 2024**

**Date Effective: May 13, 2024**

### **A Resolution of the Town of Bladensburg Celebrating National Police Week, May 12 - 18, 2024, and Expressing Gratitude to the Bladensburg Police Department**

**Whereas**, the Town of Bladensburg recognizes the importance of honoring the dedication, service, and sacrifice of law enforcement officers across the nation during National Police Week; and

**Whereas**, National Police Week provides an opportunity to express appreciation for the contributions of law enforcement officers to public safety and to honor those who have lost their lives in the line of duty; and

**Whereas**, Chief Tyrone Collington has demonstrated exemplary leadership and dedication in his role as Police Chief of the Town of Bladensburg, working tirelessly to ensure the safety and well-being of our residents; and

**Whereas**, the Bladensburg Police Department, including the Patrol, Criminal Investigation Division (CID), Special Assignment Team, K-9 Unit, and Community Action Team, plays a vital role in maintaining public safety and enhancing community relations through various programs and initiatives, including youth engagement and police explorer programs;

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** by the Town Council of Bladensburg that:

1. The Town of Bladensburg hereby recognizes and celebrates National Police Week, May 12 - 18, 2024, in honor of the service and sacrifice of law enforcement officers.
2. The Town Council extends its sincere gratitude to Chief Tyrone Collington for his exemplary leadership, dedication, and commitment to the safety and well-being of the residents of the Town of Bladensburg.

3. The Town Council commends the Bladensburg Police Department's members, including the Patrol, CID, Special Assignment Team, K-9 Unit, and Community Action Team, for their outstanding service and contributions to the community.
4. The Town Council acknowledges the importance of the various programs and initiatives implemented by the Bladensburg Police Department, particularly those aimed at youth engagement and fostering positive relationships between law enforcement officers and the community.
5. The Town Council encourages all residents to join in expressing appreciation for the efforts of Chief Tyrone Collington and the members of the Bladensburg Police Department during National Police Week and throughout the year.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution be and is hereby adopted this \_\_\_\_ Day of May \_ 2024 and shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Attest:

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Michelle Bailey-Hedgepeth  
Town Administrator/ Acting Town Clerk

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Takisha D. James, Mayor