



Town of Bristol, Rhode Island

PROCLAMATION

Be it hereby known to all that: *WHEREAS*, in 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation designating May 15th as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week in which it falls as National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, members of the Bristol Police Department play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of all residents and visitors, demonstrating daily the highest standards of professionalism, integrity, and service; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices of their police officers, and that members of the department recognize their duty to serve the people of Bristol by protecting life and property, assisting those in need, and working to ensure the safety of all; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated members of the Bristol Police Department, at great personal risk and sacrifice, enforce the laws with fairness, compassion, and respect for human dignity; and

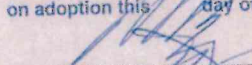
WHEREAS, during National Police Week 2026, we honor and remember those officers who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty, and we pay tribute to all law enforcement personnel who serve selflessly and courageously every day;


THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Town Council of the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island, does hereby proclaim the week of May 10-16, 2026 as ****POLICE WEEK**** in the Town of Bristol, and encourages all citizens to join in recognizing the extraordinary service and commitment of our local, state, and national law enforcement officers.

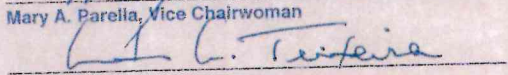
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town of Bristol extends its sincere gratitude to the members of the Bristol Police Department for their outstanding contributions to the safety and well-being of our community.



Steven Gentente, Town Administrator

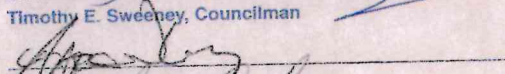
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and affixed the SEAL of the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island on adoption this _____ day of _____



Nathan T. Calouro, Chairman


Mary A. Parella, Vice Chairwoman


Antonio A. Teixeira, Councilman


Timothy E. Sweeney, Councilman


Aaron J. Ley, Councilman

ATTEST: 
Melissa Cordeiro, Town Clerk

