

PROCLAMATION

OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF FOLSOM PROCLAIMING April 13-19, 2025

as

NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK IN THE CITY OF FOLSOM

WHEREAS, when our citizens experience crisis, the men and women of the City of Folsom police dispatch center are responsible for answering their call and dispatching emergency services and resources to help save lives and property; and

WHEREAS, Folsom Police dispatchers are the vital link to our police officers, firefighters, crisis interventionists and our citizens, monitoring radio activity, traffic cameras and other tools to aid in providing information and lifesaving instructions while enhancing the safety of all; and

WHEREAS, the safety of our city's first responders is dependent on the quality and accuracy of information obtained and dispatched by our dispatchers who call; and

WHEREAS, in 2024, Folsom's public safety dispatchers handled 85,658 telephone calls, created and monitored 60,388 incidents; and

WHEREAS, in 2024, Folsom's communications dispatchers answered over 99% of all 9-1-1 calls in 15 seconds or less; and

WHEREAS, Folsom's public safety dispatchers contributed substantially to the relentless pursuit of criminal behavior and fostering of positive relationships with our citizens; and

WHEREAS, Folsom's public safety dispatchers exhibited care, compassion, empathy, and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SARAH AQUINO Mayor of the City of Folsom on behalf of the Folsom City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of April 13-19, 2025, as **NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK** in the City of Folsom and extend our gratitude to Folsom's Communications Dispatchers for their dedicated service to our community, diligence, and commitment to keeping our City and citizens safe.

PROCLAIMED this 8th day of April 2025.

Sarah Aquino, MAYOR

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