



## Agenda Abstract

### BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date:	May 12, 2025
Department:	Police
Agenda Section:	Consent
Public hearing:	No
Date of public hearing:	N/A

#### PRESENTER/INFORMATION CONTACT

Mayor Mark Bell

#### ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED

**Subject:** Proclamation – Police Week and Peace Officers Memorial Day

**Attachments:**

Proclamation

**Summary:**

Since 1786, more than 26,600 law enforcement officers have lost their lives while performing their duties, including 639 in North Carolina. The 87th Congress passed Public Law 87-726, a joint resolution authorizing the president to proclaim May 15th of each year as Peace Officers Memorial Day, and the calendar week during which May 15th occurs as Police Week; this was signed into law by President John F. Kennedy on Oct. 1, 1962.

**Financial impacts:**

None.

**Staff recommendation and comments:**

None.

**Action requested:**

Adopt proclamation in support of Police Week and Peace Officers Memorial Day.