

## STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: April 15, 2024

MEETING TYPE: Regular Council Meeting

**SUBMITTED BY:** Steve Perry (Police Chief)

AGENDA CAPTION: National Police week 2024 honoring Law Enforcement

Presented by: Steve Perry, Police Chief

## **Background Information**

In recognition of Police Officers across the Nation Sunday, May 12, 2024 – Sat, May 18, 2024, will be recognized nationally as Police Week. Since the first recorded death of a Police Officer in 1786, there have been more than 23,000 Law Enforcement Officer killed in the line of duty. Currently there are 23,785 names engraved on the National Law Enforcement Wall of honor. Of the Nations 800,000 Law Enforcement Officers in the US, in 2023 there were 136 line of duty deaths, and Texas was the second highest in the nation with 11 Law Enforcement Officer killed in the line of duty. National Police Week pays special recognition to law enforcement Officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty for the safety and protection of others.

## **Budget Implications**

N/A

**Operational Impact** 

N/A

**Legal Review** 

N/A

**Staff Recommendation** 

N/A

**Supporting Documentation and Attachments** 

Proclamation

2023 Law Enforcement fatality report