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A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL

## **PROCLAMATION** NATIONAL POLICE WEEK MAY 12<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>

WHEREAS, the Congress and President of the United States have designated May 16th as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and the week in which May 12th falls as National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Hutchins Police Department play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the City of Hutchins; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices of their law enforcement agency, and that members of our law enforcement agency recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence and disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression; and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the Hutchins Police Department unceasingly provide a vital public service.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Mario Vasquez, Mayor of the City of Hutchins, call upon all citizens of the City of Hutchins, Texas to observe the week of May 12<sup>th</sup> through the 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024, as Police Week. During this week I encourage citizens to join in commemorating law enforcement officers, past and present, who, by their faithful and loyal devotion to their responsibilities, have rendered a dedicated service to their communities and, in so doing, have established for themselves an enviable and enduring reputation for preserving the rights and security of all citizens.

**I FURTHER** call upon all citizens of the City of Hutchins to observe Wednesday, May 16, 2024, as Peace Officers' Memorial Day in honor of those law enforcement officers who, through their courageous deeds, have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their community or have become disabled in the performance of duty, and let us recognize and pay respect to the survivors of our fallen heroes.

Mayor Mario Vasquez