CITY OF LOS FRESNOS PROCLAMATION

Whereas, The Congress and President of the United States have designated May 15 as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and the week in which May 15 falls as National Police Week; and

Whereas, the members of the Los Fresnos Police Department play an important role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of citizens in our community; and

Whereas, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices of their Police Department, and that members of The Los Fresnos Police Department 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 Los Fresnos Police Department unceasingly provide a vital public service;

Now, therefore, the City Council of the City of Los Fresnos, call upon all citizens of Los Fresnos and upon all patriotic, civic and educational organizations to observe the week of May $11^{\text{th}} - 17^{\text{th}}$, 2025, as Police Week with appropriate ceremonies and observances in which all of our people may 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 Los Fresnos to observe May 15, 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.

Approved on this $\underline{8^{th}}$ day of <u>April</u>, 2025.

Alejandro Flores, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jacqueline Moya, City Secretary