PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, emergencies can occur at any time that require police, fire or emergency medical services; and,

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs the prompt response of law enforcement, firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and,

WHEREAS, the safety of our police officers and firefighters is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the Madison Heights Dispatch Center; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Dispatchers are the first and most critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Dispatchers are the single vital link for our law enforcement, and fire personnel by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and insuring their safety; and,

WHEREAS, Public Safety Dispatchers of the Madison Heights Dispatch Center contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients; and,

WHEREAS, each dispatcher has exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Madison Heights declares the week of:

April 9-15, 2023 NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK

in Madison Heights, in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

Roslyn Grafstein Mayor

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