



**MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION
NATIONAL POLICE WEEK
MAY 11-17, 2022**

WHEREAS, in 1962, President Kennedy proclaimed May 15 as National Peace Officers Memorial Day and the calendar week in which May 15 falls as National Police Week; and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 900,000 law enforcement officers serving in communities across the United States, including the dedicated members of Spring Lake Park Police Department; and

WHEREAS, members of law enforcement play an important role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the citizens of our community, state and nation; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the problems, duties and responsibilities of law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, members of our police department recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, protecting them against violence or disorder, and protecting the innocent against deception and the week against oppression or intimidation; and

WHEREAS; the Spring Lake Park Police Department has grown to be a modern and technological law enforcement agency whose members unceasingly provides as vital public service; and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that we recognize the dedicated service of the Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert Nelson, Mayor of the City of Spring Lake Park, do hereby proclaim the week of May 11 through May 17, 2021 as

NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

in the City of Spring Lake Park and further extend appreciation to Police Chief Antoine, and the Spring Lake Park Police Department for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the community they represent.

Dated this second day of May, two thousand twenty two.



Robert Nelson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Daniel R. Buchholtz, Administrator,
Clerk/Treasurer