MARSHALL COUNTY FISCAL COURT

PROCLAMATION

National Police Week

WHEREAS: In 1962, President John F. Kennedy signed a proclamation which designated May 15 as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week in which that date falls as Police Week; and

WHEREAS: Currently, tens of thousands of law enforcement officers from around the world converge on Washington, DC to participate in a number of planned events which honor those that have paid the ultimate sacrifice; and

WHEREAS: The Memorial Service began in 1982 as a gathering in Senate Park of approximately 120 survivors and supporters of law enforcement. Decades later, the event, more commonly known as National Police Week, has grown to a series of events which attracts thousands of survivors and law enforcement officers to our Nation's Capital each year;

THEREFORE: The Marshall County Fiscal Court does hereby proclaim the week of May 15th, 2018 "National Police Week" in Marshall County.

Given under my hand on this the 15th day of May, 2018.

Kévin Neal

Marshall County Judge/Executive