## **Proclamation**

## National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 14-20, 2024

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

Whereas when an emergency occurs the prompt response of police officers, firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and,

Whereas the safety of our police officers, firefighters and paramedics is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who contact the Marshall County E911 emergency communications center; and,

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

Whereas Public Safety Telecommunicators are the single vital link for our police officers, firefighters and paramedics by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and ensuring their safety; and,

Whereas Public Safety Telecommunicators of the Marshall County E911 Center have 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;

Therefore Be It Resolved that Marshall County Fiscal Court declares the week of April 14 through 20, 2024, to be National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Marshall County, KY, in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

Signed this 16th day of April, 2024

Judge/Executive Kevin Spraggs

Marshall County, Kentucky