



PROCLAMATION

**DESIGNATING
MAY 15, 2016
AS
PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY
AND
THE WEEK OF MAY 15, 2016 AS POLICE WEEK**

WHEREAS, the 87th Congress of the United States of America, signed on October 1, 1962, by President John F. Kennedy proclaimed May 15th of each year as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the calendar week of each year during which May 15th. occurs as Police Week.

WHEREAS, the National Law Enforcement Officer's Memorial located in Washington DC, honors all of America's Federal, State, Tribal and local law enforcement officers killed in the line-of-duty. Inscribed on the Memorial's marble walls are the names of more than 17,000 officers, dating back to the first known death in 1792.

WHEREAS, there are 247 Police Officers who were killed in the line of duty in Arizona and their names are inscribed on the Wall of Honor at the National Law Enforcement Officer's Memorial in Washington DC. There are 79 Native American Police Officers names inscribed on the Wall of Honor, 20 are from Arizona.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde do hereby proclaim May 15, 2016 as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week of May 15, 2016 as Police Week.

Passed and approved by a majority vote of the Common Council at the Regular Session of April 20, 2016.


Charles German, Mayor

4/21/2016
Date

Attest:


Virginia Jones, Town Clerk

