

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the safety and well-being of its citizens continues to be one of the foremost concerns of the City of Missoula; ensuring that safety and well-being requires the ability to receive calls for help and immediately send responders to provide that help; and

WHEREAS, 9-1-1 is the first critical link in the chain in delivering public safety services; and

WHEREAS, the safety of those responding to emergencies is also of great concern to the City of Missoula; and

WHEREAS, the telecommunicators who work in 9-1-1 display a superior level of commitment, dedication and professionalism in accomplishing their mission of receiving calls for help from citizens, dispatching emergency response agencies and maintaining a communication link with the responders for safety purposes; and

WHEREAS, those same telecommunicators often work extraordinarily long hours and difficult schedules to provide this service to the public and to ensure the safety of responders, but often go unrecognized.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Jordan Hess, Mayor of the City of Missoula, in the State of Montana, recognize the week of April 9 - 15, 2023 as

NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATIONS WEEK

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the City of Missoula, in the State of Montana, to be affixed at Missoula, Montana, this 10th day of April, in the year two thousand twenty-three.



A handwritten signature of Jordan Hess.

Jordan Hess
Mayor