



PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, every day in our community emergencies occur that require police, fire or emergency medical response to save lives and property; 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, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the first and most critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and
- WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators serve as a vital link for our first responders by offering guidance and support including monitoring their activities by radio and providing real time information to maximize effectiveness and safety; and
- WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators in the City of Idaho Falls regularly contribute to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires, medical treatment of patients and even the saving of lives; and
- WHEREAS, each of our 21 City of Idaho Falls Public Safety Telecommunicators exhibit compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job; and
- WHEREAS, Idaho Falls Public Safety Telecommunicators exemplify the Police Department's core values of integrity, honor, trust and excellence as well as fulfill the Department's mission of creating an environment free from crime and the fear of crime; and
- WHEREAS, the work of these 21 "unseen first responders" is invaluable.

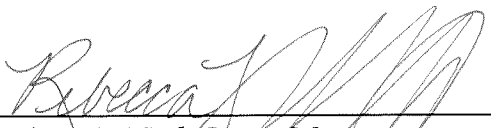
THEREFORE, I, REBECCA CASPER, MAYOR of the City of Idaho Falls, do hereby proclaim April 14-20, 2019 to be

National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week

in honor of these men and women who merit our heartfelt appreciation.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Idaho Falls to be affixed on this 10th day of April two thousand and nineteen.



Rebecca L. Noah Casper, Mayor
City of Idaho Falls