

City of Commerce City, Colorado



Proclamation



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

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.;

WHEREAS, due to COVID-19, Police Week 2021 was postponed to a later date. To assure opportunity for in-person attendance, National Police Week Events were rescheduled to October 12-17th, 2021;

WHEREAS, The National Police Weekend will offer the same honor, remembrance and peer support as the extended National Police Week, while allowing law enforcement, survivors and citizens to gather and pay homage to those who gave their lives in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, Planned events include honoring fallen officers from 2019 and 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of Commerce City proclaims the week of October 12-17, 2021, as National Police Week, reaffirming Commerce City commitment to celebrating those that serve our communities and have given the greatest sacrifice during National Police Week and throughout the year; and expressing our sincere gratitude and appreciation for all law enforcement personal who help create a safe quality community for a life time.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed on the eighteenth day of October 2021.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor

