



# CITY OF SEBASTOPOL

## Proclamation

### National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week April 14-20, 2019

Whereas emergencies can occur at any time that require police, fire or emergency medical services; 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 and firefighters is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the City of Sebastopol 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 and firefighters by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and insuring their safety; and

Whereas Public Safety Telecommunicators of the City of Sebastopol 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.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, Mayor Neysa Hinton, declare the week of April 14 through 20, 2019, to be National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in the City of Sebastopol in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the City of Sebastopol recognizes Tracy Peters, Christopher Mooney, Emily Threadgill, Amy Soria, Melanie Ferriera and Morgan Kanat who are the City's highly dedicated and professional Police Dispatch team.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the Great Seal of the City of Sebastopol this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019.

Original to be signed

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Neysa Hinton  
Mayor