

**Proclamation**

**National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week**

**April 8-14, 2018**

Whereas emergencies can occur at anytime that require police, fire, emergency medical services or quick response units; and,

Whereas when an emergency occurs the prompt response of police officers, firefighters and EMTs is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and,

Whereas the safety of our responders is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the Southern Idaho Regional 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, firefighters, and EMTs by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and insuring their safety; and,

Whereas Public Safety Telecommunicators of the Southern Idaho Regional Communications Center 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;

Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Gooding County Commissioners declare the week of April 8 through 14, 2018 to be National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Gooding County in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

Signed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018



Mark Bolduc, Chairman  
GOODING COUNTY, IDAHO

