

The Town of Hilton Head Island



National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week Proclamation

WHEREAS; emergencies that require police, fire or emergency medical services can occur at any time; and

WHEREAS; when an emergency occurs the prompt response of firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and

WHEREAS; the safety of our firefighters and paramedics is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who contact the Town of Hilton Head Island 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, firefighters and paramedics by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and ensuring their safety; and

WHEREAS; Public Safety Telecommunicators of Hilton Head Island Fire Rescue have contributed substantially to the 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, I Alan R. Perry, Mayor of the Town of Hilton Head Island, South Carolina, do hereby proclaim April 13 through April 19, 2025 as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our town and citizens safe.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal of the Town of Hilton Head Island to be affixed on this 10th day of April, in the year of our Lord, two thousand twenty-five.

Alan R. Perry, Mayor

Attest:

Kimberly Gammon, Town Clerk