

Santa Fe Independent School District National Police Week Proclamation

Whereas, there are more than 10 law enforcement officers serving in Santa Fe ISD; and

Whereas, nearly 60,000 assaults against law enforcement officers are reported each year,

resulting in approximately 16,000 injuries;

Whereas, since the first recorded death in 1791, more than 20,000 law enforcement

officers in the United States have made the ultimate sacrifice and been killed in

the line of duty;

Whereas, the names of these dedicated public servants are engraved on the walls of the

National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial in Washington, D.C.;

Whereas, the service and sacrifice of all officers killed in the line of duty will be honored

during the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund's 28th Annual

Candlelight Vigil, on the evening of May 13, 2017;

Whereas, May 15, 2017 is designated as Peace Officers Memorial Day, in honor of all fallen

officers and their families and U.S. flags should be flown at half-staff;

Therefore, Be It Resolved that Santa Fe ISD Board of Trustees formally designates May 11-17, 2017, as Police Week in Santa Fe ISD, and publicly salutes the service of law enforcement officers in our community and in communities across the nation.

Passed and Approved this 17th of April 2017.

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