

PROCLAMATION 2025-04

DECLARING MAY 2025 AS LAW ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION MONTH IN THE TOWN OF SPRINGDALE

A Proclamation to recognize Law Enforcement Appreciation Month in 2025 and to honor the service of all law enforcement officers and the sacrifice of those killed in the line of duty while protecting communities and safeguarding our democracy.

WHEREAS, the residents of the Town of Springdale are served by the Springdale Police Department; and

WHEREAS, these courageous men and women are our first and best defense against all threats to life and property, often risking their own safety in the execution of their duties; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 800,000 law enforcement officers serving in communities across the United States, including the dedicated members of the Springdale Police Department; and

WHEREAS, since the first recorded death in 1786, more than 23,785 law enforcement officers in the United States have made the ultimate sacrifice and been killed in the line of duty; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Springdale Town Council will observe the month of May 2025 as Law Enforcement Appreciation Month in the Town of Springdale, and publicly salutes the service of law enforcement officers of the Springdale Police Department and those in communities across the nation, and urge all community members to express their personal gratitude to those who serve all of us so selflessly.

SIGNED this 14th day of May 2025.

| | Barbara Bruno, Mayor | |
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| Attest: | | |
| Aren Emerson, Town Clerk | | |