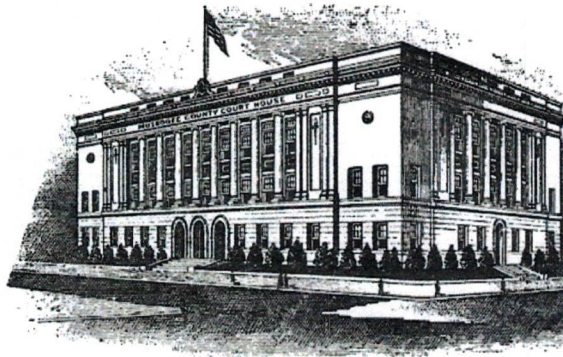


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Proclamation

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 Muskogee County Enhanced 911 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 ensuring their safety;

and;

Whereas; Public Safety Telecommunicators of the Muskogee County Enhanced 911 Emergency Communications Center have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients;

and,

Whereas; Oklahoma is currently one of eighteen states that have re-classified 9-1-1 Telecommunicators as "First Responders,"

and;

Whereas, each dispatcher has exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year.

Now, Therefore, We, Muskogee Board of County Commissioners, declare the week of April 14th through April 20th, 2024, to be National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Muskogee County, in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our County and citizens safe.

Date: 4/15, 20 24

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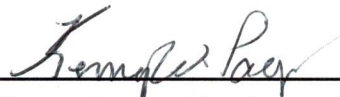
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