

Proclamation

Whereas, emergencies can occur at anytime 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, firefighters, and paramedics is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from the public who contact Valley Communications Center; and

Whereas, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the first and most critical contact the public has with emergency services; and

Whereas, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the single vital link for our police officers, firefighters, and paramedics by monitoring their activities, providing them information, and ensuring their safety; and

Whereas, Public Safety Telecommunicators of Valley Com 911 have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires, and treatment of patients; and

Whereas, each Public SafetyTelecommunicator has exhibited compassion, understanding, and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year;

Now, therefore, I, Armondo Pavone, Mayor of the City of Renton, do hereby proclaim April 12-18, 2020, to be

National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week

in the City of Renton, and I encourage all members of the community to join me in this special observation in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and public safe.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Renton to be affixed this 13th day of April, 2020.

Armondo Pavone, Mayor City of Renton, Washington

