

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 15 THROUGH MAY 21, 2005 AS "LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS WEEK" AND MAY 11, 2005 AS "LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS MEMORIAL DAY" IN WASHTENAW COUNTY.

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MAY 5, 2005

WHEREAS, Congress and the President of the United States of America has proclaimed May 15 through May 21, 2005, as Police Week; and

WHEREAS, Washtenaw County Police Memorial Service will be held on May 11<sup>th</sup>; and

WHEREAS, law enforcement officers of Washtenaw County have worked devotedly and selflessly in behalf of the people within the County of Washtenaw, regardless of the peril or hazard to themselves; and

WHEREAS, these officers safeguard lives and property within the County of Washtenaw and defend the individual rights of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the County of Washtenaw desires to honor the service, valor and dedication of these law enforcement officers, especially those eleven who have given their lives in the line of duty within Washtenaw County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners calls upon the citizens of Washtenaw County to make every effort to express appreciation to these officers who guard us and our loved ones against all who would violate the law. Specifically we ask that you join us in recognizing the criminal justice employees for their relentless dedication to the enhancement of the quality of life in our community. Specifically we ask that you take a moment on May 11<sup>th</sup>, as we remember those fallen officers who paid the ultimate sacrifice for their fellow man.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaims the week of May 15 through May 21, 2005, as "Law Enforcement and Corrections Week" and May 11, 2005, as "Law Enforcement and Corrections Memorial Day" in Washtenaw County.