

Office of the Mayor



# Proclamation

NATIONAL POLICE WEEK  
AND  
PEACE OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY  
May 10 – 16, 2026

**WHEREAS,** the Congress and President of the United States have designated May 15 as Peace Officers' Memorial Day, and the week in which May 15 falls as National Police week; and

**WHEREAS,** the members of the Monroe Township Police Department play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of our community members; and

**WHEREAS,** it is important that all members of our community know and understand the duties, responsibilities, sacrifices, and hazards facing their law enforcement officers, and that members of our law enforcement agency recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence and disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression; and

**WHEREAS,** Monroe Township Police officers are committed to the highest professional standards, and working in partnership with our community to meet the challenges of reducing crime, creating a safe and welcoming environment, and improving our quality of life for our community and those who visit; and

**WHEREAS,** the Township of Monroe is proud of our police officers and wishes to recognize their commitment to the public safety profession.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, STEPHEN DALINA,** Mayor of the Township of Monroe, do hereby proclaim **May 10 – May 16, 2026** as **Police Appreciation Week** and **May 15<sup>th</sup>** as **Peace Officers' Memorial Day** in **Monroe Township** and calls upon all community members, civic and educational organizations to join in commemorating law enforcement officers, past and present, who, by their faithful and loyal devotion to their responsibilities, have rendered dedicated service to their communities.

Dated: May 1, 2026

  
STEPHEN DALINA, MAYOR