

**RESOLUTION #22-09**

***A Resolution Proclaiming April 10-16, 2022 as  
Public Safety Telecommunicator Week In Alpena County.***

Whereas, Emergencies that require police, fire, or emergency medical services can occur at any time; and

Whereas, when those emergencies occur, the public dials 9-1-1 for assistance; and

Whereas, Telecommunicators at Alpena County Central Dispatch answer those calls for assistance and serve as the first critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and

Whereas, the safety of the police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical service personnel who serve our citizens is dependent on the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who use the 9-1-1 system; and

Whereas, Alpena County Central Dispatch Telecommunicators provide a vital link for our police officers, firefighters and emergency medical service personnel by monitoring their activity by radio, providing them with information and ensuring their safety; and

Whereas, Telecommunicators of Alpena Central Dispatch have assisted with saving many lives, the apprehension of many criminals, and prevention of property loss each year; and

Whereas, all Alpena County Central Dispatch 9-1-1 Telecommunicators have exhibited compassion, understanding, and professionalism during the performance of their job duties, and

Whereas, many unfortunate events, including September 11<sup>th</sup> 2001, have clearly demonstrated the essential role Telecommunicators play in the emergency services arena, and

Whereas, on October 9<sup>th</sup>, 1991, the United States Congress took official legislative action designating the second week in April of each year as National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Alpena County Board of Commissioners hereby proclaim the week of April 10-16, 2022 as Public Safety Telecommunicators Week in Alpena County, honoring the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our county and citizens safe.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Alpena County Board Of Commissioners urges county residents to join with them in honoring and commending the Public Safety Telecommunicators of Alpena County who answer and dispatch our 9-1-1 calls for police, fire, and emergency medical assistance.

Moved by Commissioner \*\*\* and supported by Commissioner \*\*\* to adopt Resolution #22-08. Roll call vote was taken: AYES: Commissioners \*\*\*. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

STATE OF MICHIGAN)  
County of Alpena )

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Robert Adrian, Chairman of the Board

I, Bonnie Friedrichs, Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of Alpena, the same Court of Record and having a seal, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of the Resolution adopted by the Alpena County Board of Commissioners at the March 24, 2022 session and that it is a true and correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Alpena this 24th day of March 2022.

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Bonnie Friedrichs, County Clerk