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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY
OF STATE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, courageous individuals, both career and volunteer, serve our state as 911 dispatchers, members of law enforcement, firemen, emergency medical service professionals, and search, rescue and dive specialists; and

Whereas, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, first responders stand ready to protect and aid the public in the event of an emergency; and

Whereas, first responders risk their own safety in the performance of their duties to protect our citizenry; and

Whereas, first responders are our state's earliest and best defense against emergencies that threaten our communities; and

Whereas, Oklahoma's first responders do not hesitate to put themselves in jeopardy in order to preserve life and their commitment to continued training, skill enhancement, and inter-agency coordination make them vital members of our communities;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim September 27, 2015, as

"First Responder Appreciation Day"

in the state of Oklahoma and encourage all Oklahomans to show gratitude to our first responders for their valued service to our towns, cities, counties and state.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.



Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 4th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and seventh year.

ATTEST:

Chris Dennis
Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

Mary Fallin
GOVERNOR

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