

# Proclamation

NATIONAL POLICE WEEK MAY 12-18, 2024  
AND PEACE OFFICERS' MEMORIAL DAY MAY 15, 2024

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

**Whereas:** the members of the Granite Quarry – Faith Joint Police Authority play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of our community; and

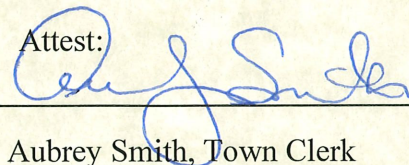
**Whereas:** it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices of their law enforcement agency, and that members of our Granite Quarry – Faith Joint Police Authority recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence and disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression; and

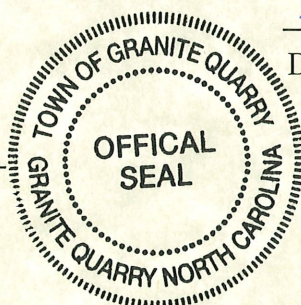
**Whereas:** the officers of the Granite Quarry – Faith Joint Police Authority unceasingly provide a vital public service.

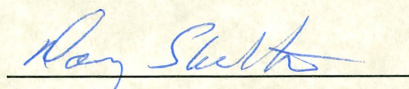
**Therefore:** I, Doug Shelton, Mayor Pro Tem of the Town of Granite Quarry, North Carolina, do recognize the week of May 12-18, 2024, as “**National Police Week**” and further recognize May 15th as **Peace Officers' Memorial Day** in honor of those law enforcement officers who, through their courageous deeds, have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their community or have become disabled in the performance of duty.

Proclaimed this the 13th day of May 2024.

Attest:

  
Aubrey Smith, Town Clerk



  
Doug Shelton, Mayor Pro Tem