

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PROCLAMATION

PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK

APRIL 12-18, 2026

WHEREAS, emergencies that require law enforcement, fire or emergency medical services can occur at any time; and

WHEREAS, public safety telecommunicators provide a continuous link from those in need to the emergency services providers who will respond to assist; and

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs, the prompt response of law enforcement officers, firefighters and paramedics is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and

WHEREAS, the safety of our law enforcement officers, firefighters and paramedics depends in part upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from people who contact the public service answering points in North Dakota; and

WHEREAS, public safety telecommunicators provide 24-hour-a-day service year-round and are the first contact many people have with emergency services; and


WHEREAS, each public safety telecommunications dispatcher exhibits compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Dakota commends the many dedicated public safety telecommunicators whose ongoing contributions help to keep our state and residents safe.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim April 12-18, 2026, PUBLIC SAFETY TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK in the State of North Dakota.




Kelly Armstrong
GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 
Michael Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE