



City of Iowa City
PROCLAMATION

Whereas, in 1962 President John Kennedy set aside this week to pay tribute to the law enforcement officers of this nation, and to memorialize those who have fallen in the line of duty; and

Whereas, the police officers and their support staff in Iowa City work with courage and dedication to enforce the laws fairly, to reduce crime and violence, and in general to improve the quality of life for everyone in this community; and

Whereas, the dedicated men and women who have chosen Law Enforcement as a career often face unknown or extraordinary risk and danger in preserving our freedom and security; and

Whereas, these women and men are fathers and mothers, sisters and brothers, sons and daughters, and so we give gratitude to their families for supporting them in their career; and

Whereas, officers of the Iowa City Police Department play a growing role as ones who promote harmony and mutual respect among citizens in an increasingly diverse population; and

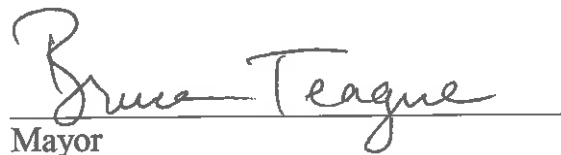
Whereas, as we wish to give everyone an opportunity to appreciate and thank the men and women of the Iowa City Police Department who dedicate their lives to public service.

Now, therefore, I, Bruce Teague, Mayor of Iowa City, do hereby proclaim the week of May 10-16, 2020 to be

National Police Week

in Iowa City and urge all citizens to participate fully in this observance.





Mayor

Signed in Iowa City, Iowa,
this 5th day of May 2020

