



**BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA**

**PROCLAMATION**

PROCLAIMING APRIL 11 - 17, 2021, AS NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS /  
COMMUNICATION OFFICERS WEEK IN BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA.

WHEREAS, the second week of April is dedicated to the men and women who serve as Public Safety Telecommunications Specialists, providing invaluable services to law enforcement personnel throughout the Country and in Baldwin County, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Telecommunicators were first recognized nationwide by the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Office in 1991; and

WHEREAS, in the early 1990s, the National Association of Public Safety Communications Officials received from the United States Congress, a proclamation through Resolution 284, to create National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week; and

WHEREAS, over 500,000 Telecommunication Specialists provide professional services to first responders throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Sheriff's Office receives invaluable and crucial services provided by 19 Communications Officers; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Sheriff's Office Communications Division receives approximately 100,000 calls for services each year; therefore

BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Baldwin County Commission and the Baldwin County Sheriff's Office that the week of April 11 - 17, 2021, is hereby designated as Telecommunications Communications Officers Week in Baldwin County, Alabama.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the County of Baldwin to be affixed at the County Seat in Bay Minette, Alabama, on this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 2021.*

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Commissioner Joe Davis, III, Chairman

ATTEST:

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Wayne A. Dyess, County Administrator