

PROCLAMATION

**TELECOMMUNICATORS WEEK
APRIL 9th – 15th, 2023**

WHEREAS, emergencies can occur at anytime that require police, fire or emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, when an emergency occurs the prompt response of emergency services is critical to the protection of life and preservation of property; and

WHEREAS, the safety of our police officers and firefighters is dependent upon the quality and accuracy of information obtained from citizens who telephone the City of Raton Dispatch Center; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the first and most critical contact our citizens have with emergency services; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators are the single vital link for our police officers and firefighters by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and ensuring their safety; and

WHEREAS, the City of Raton telecommunicators have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients; and

WHEREAS, each dispatcher has exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year;

NOW THEREFORE, do I, James Neil Segotta, Jr., Mayor of the City of Raton, New Mexico do hereby proclaim the week of April 9th through April 15th, 2023:

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in the City of Raton in honor of our telecommunicators whose diligence and professionalism keep our city and citizens safe.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal and caused the Seal of the City of Raton to be affixed this 11th day of April, 2023.

CITY OF RATON

ATTEST


Michael Anne Antonucci, City Clerk


James Neil Segotta Jr., Mayor

