

THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 14-61

INTRODUCED BY: Antoskiewicz, Nickell, Petrusky, Langshaw,
Marnecheck, Muller, Kasaris, Mayor Stefanik

A RESOLUTION DECLARING MAY 15TH AS PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY AND THE WEEK OF MAY 11-17, 2014 AS POLICE WEEK

WHEREAS: Every day, public safety officers work tirelessly to protect our citizens, enforce our laws, and keep our neighborhoods safe. They report for duty knowing full well the dangers they face and the sacrifices they may be called upon to make; and

WHEREAS: This week, we pay tribute to the men and women who serve us with extraordinary bravery and devote their lives in pursuit of a safer, more just society; and

WHEREAS: While we can never fully repay them for their service, we must work to ensure our law enforcement officers are equipped with the tools and technology they need to do their jobs safely and effectively; and

WHEREAS: The City of North Royalton devotes significant resources to improving officer safety, providing equipment that has saved lives, training officers to prevent and survive potentially lethal encounters, and strengthening our ability to be a vital part of our community; and

WHEREAS: We owe a profound debt to all those who have worn the badge, and to the families whose care enables them to serve with courage and pride; and

WHEREAS: During Peace Officers Memorial Day and Police Week, we recall the selflessness of our law enforcement officers and their families, and we honor all those who devote their lives to forging a stronger, safer city. Let us reflect on their invaluable contributions as we enjoy the peace they bring to our communities, and let us vow that their service will never be taken for granted; and

WHEREAS: The President of the United States has been duly authorized by Joint Resolution to designate May 15 of each year as "Peace Officers Memorial Day" and the week in which it falls as "Police Week."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. The City of North Royalton hereby declares May 15th as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the week of May 11-17, 2014 as Police Week.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

THEREFORE, provided this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of a majority of all members, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

/s/ Larry Antoskiewicz
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: /s/ Robert A. Stefanik
MAYOR

DATE PASSED: May 6, 2014

DATE APPROVED: May 7, 2014

ATTEST: /s/ Laura J. Haller
DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

First reading suspended
Second reading suspended
Third reading May 6, 2014

YEAS: Antoskiewicz, Nickell, Petrusky, Langshaw,
Marnecheck, Muller, Kasaris

NAYS: none