



PROCLAMATION

National 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 at RiverCom are the first contact for those who use the 911 emergency number; and

WHEREAS, Public Safety Telecommunicators play a vital role in the protection of human life and property in our community and are responsible for engaging with callers, who are often under duress and in danger, obtaining necessary information, determining the emergency, and dispatching appropriate personnel; 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, firefighters and paramedics by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and ensuring their safety; and

WHEREAS, RiverCom Public Safety Telecommunicators have exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year;

**NOW
THEREFORE,** I, Jerrilea Crawford, Mayor of East Wenatchee, proclaim April 12 through April 18th, 2026, be designated National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week, in honor of the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our community and citizens safe.

**IN WITNESS
WHEREOF,** I have caused the seal of the City of East Wenatchee to be affixed on this 7th day of April 2026.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jerrilea Crawford".

Mayor Jerrilea Crawford
City of East Wenatchee