

County of Clarendon

Proclamation

Peace Officers' Memorial Day

WHEREAS, Whereas, The Congress and President of the United States have designated May 15, as Peace Officers' Memorial Day; and,

WHEREAS, the members of the law enforcement agencies of Clarendon County play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the citizens of our community; and,

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards and sacrifices of their law enforcement officers, and that law enforcement officers recognize their duty to serve the people of this community, by protecting them against violent and disorder; and,

WHEREAS, the law enforcement officers of Clarendon County unceasingly provide a vital public service; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the County Council of Clarendon County directs that all flags on County buildings be flown at half-staff on May 15, 2012, in recognition of Peace Officers' Memorial Day and in memory of those law enforcement officers, who through their courageous deeds, have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their community or have become disabled in the performance of duty, and to honor those law enforcement officers presently serving the community.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 9th day of April 2012.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dwight L. Stewart, Jr.".

*Dwight L. Stewart, Jr., Chairman
Clarendon County Council*