

# *City of Tarpon Springs, Florida*

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Congress and the President of the United States have designated May 15 as Peace Officers Memorial Day, and the week in which it falls as Police Week; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tarpon Springs Police Department and all law enforcement agencies play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of our citizens and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, it is important for all citizens to know and understand the duties and responsibilities of the Tarpon Springs Police Department, and that our Police Officers recognize their duty to safeguard life and property and protect against violence and disorder; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Tarpon Springs, its residents and businesses wish to honor the service and sacrifice of all law enforcement officers, particularly those killed in the line of duty while protecting and safeguarding our nation's communities.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Chris Alahouzos, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, do hereby proclaim May 15, 2018 as

### ***PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, to be affixed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

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*City Clerk & Collector*

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*Mayor*