



**PROCLAMATION HONORING THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE  
NEW PROVIDENCE POLICE DEPARTMENT DURING  
POLICE MEMORIAL WEEK.**

**WHEREAS**, May 23, 2017 has been designated as New Jersey Police Memorial Day to honor and remember those police officers killed in the line of duty; and

**WHEREAS**, in New Providence, we rely on law enforcement officers to keep our neighborhoods safe, enforce our laws, and respond in times of crisis. The men and women of our Police Department sustain peace and order across our community and we look at them as models of courage and integrity.

**WHEREAS**, our police officers are mentors in our schools, familiar faces on the streets of New Providence and pillars of our communities.

**WHEREAS**, it is important that all citizens know and understand the responsibilities of their police department, and that members of our police department recognize their duty to serve the people by safeguarding life and property, by protecting them against violence and disorder, and by protecting the innocent against deception and the weak against oppression or intimidation; and

**WHEREAS**, the police department of the Borough of New Providence is a modern and scientific law enforcement agency which unceasingly provides a vital public service;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I Mayor Allen Morgan, call upon all citizens of the Borough of New Providence to observe Tuesday, May 23, 2017 as New Jersey Police Memorial Day in honor of those law enforcement officers who, through their courageous deeds, have lost their lives or have become disabled in the performance of duty.

APPROVED, this 22nd day of May, 2017.

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Allen Morgan, Mayor

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Wendi B. Barry, Borough Clerk