National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day
2022 Proclamation

WHEREAS, first observed in 2015, National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day came about in the wake of the 2014 Ferguson, Missouri, officer-involved shooting of Michael Brown, at a time when there much scrutinization of police officers and concerns about police brutality; and

WHEREAS, National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day, is observed on Sunday, January 9, 2022 and Observants of the day spend it thanking police officers, wearing blue, and turning on blue lights at their homes, and

WHEREAS, there are over 900,000 law enforcement officers in the United States being honored on National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day , showing that the community recognizes the difficulty of their job and supports them as they provide a public service; and

WHEREAS, the day is dedicated to all members of law enforcement, focusing on police and similar state and local agencies. It was started by Concerns of Police Survivors, which partners with organizations across the country to make the day happen; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I Richard M. Onderko, Mayor of the Borough of Manville, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey along with the Council supports observance of this day and encourages all citizens to thank your local police officers for their service to the Borough of Manville and to continue to respect their profession.

Borough of Manville

Richard M. Onderko

Richard M. Onderko, Mayor

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