

## PROCLAMATION

*Whereas*, The Congress and the President of the United States have designated May 15<sup>th</sup> as **National Peace Officer's Memorial Day**; and

*Whereas*, the members of the Fontana Police Department play an essential role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms of the Village of Fontana citizens; and

*Whereas*, the officers of the Fontana Police Department unceasingly provide a vital public service and it is important that all citizens know and understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards and sacrifices 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

Now, therefore, I, Arvid Petersen, Village President of the Village of Fontana call upon all citizens of the Village of Fontana to observe Tuesday May 15, 2012 as National Peace Officer's Memorial Day in honor of those law enforcement officers who, have made the ultimate sacrifice in the service of their citizens or have become disable in the performance of their duty, and let us recognize the survivors of our fallen heroes.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of the Village of Fontana to be affixed.

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Arvid Petersen, Village President

5/7/2012

Date

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Dennis Martin, Village Clerk

5/7/2012

Date