STATE OF MISSOURI

Proclamation

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the State of Missouri recognizes all of the state's first responders, including: police officers, firefighters, EMTs, paramedics, 911 dispatchers, and other organizations in the public safety sector who selflessly serve the public in the event of an emergency; and

WHEREAS, first responders are integral to every community across America, showcasing bravery, courage, and dedication when risking their safety in the execution of their duties to protect us every day; and

WHEREAS, first responders are the first line of defense, protecting the public against all threats, both domestic and foreign; and

WHEREAS, first responders stand ready to come to the aid of the citizens of Missouri 24 hours a day; and

WHEREAS, the daily sacrifices that first responders and their families make have an inspirational and enduring impact on all communities across the country.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MIKE KEHOE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim October 28, 2025, to be

FIRST RESPONDERS DAY

in Missouri.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 15th day of September 2025.

Mike Kehoe

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Denny Hoskins

SECRETARY OF STATE