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County Celebrates National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week

The Delaware County Commissioners recognized the employees of the 9-1-1 Center, known as Telecommunicators, during session today, for their outstanding public service. Public safety Telecommunicators daily serve the citizens of Delaware County by providing that first and most critical contact between our citizens and their need for a public safety response. They are also responsible for monitoring, dispatching, providing information and ensuring the safety of law enforcement, fire, emergency medical and emergency management responders.

Congress and the President of the United States have recognized the second week of April every year since 1992 as National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week and so has Delaware County.

"The Telecommunicators are the lifeline to the residents of Delaware County and the public safety workers in the field. Without Telecommunicators, the calls for service would not be answered, and the public safety workers could not be dispatched," shared Patrick Brandt, Interim Director, Emergency Communications.

The Delaware County Commissioners enthusiastically supported the recognition of all the professional public safety telecommunicators by declaring the second full week of April as the National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week and thanked them for their service.

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Established in 1808, Delaware County is located in the center of Ohio, is 459 square miles in size, and serves our almost 190,000 residents. With 1100+ employees and a budget of $45 million, Delaware County is one of the top 50 employers in central Ohio and continues to be the fastest growing county in the state.

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