Item Title: Proclaim September 22, 2016 as First Responders Appreciation Day

## **Specific Action Requested:**

## That the Board of Commissioners proclaims September 22, 2016 as the Ninth Annual First Responders Day.

## Item Summary:

The Greater Raleigh Chamber of Commerce is celebrating September 22, 2016 as the Ninth Annual First Responders Day in Wake County. The Chamber is asking the Wake County Board of Commissioners to issue a proclamation declaring September 22 as "First Responders Day."

The purpose of First Responders Day is to raise awareness, support, celebrate, honor and most importantly say *Thank You* to our First Responders for the difficult job they do every day by putting their lives on the line to protect and enhance our community and way of life.

## Attachments:

1. Proclamation