## A Proclamation of the City Council of the City of Commerce Designating the Month of September 2017 As PUBLIC SAFETY RECOGNITION MONTH

**WHEREAS**, the City of Commerce recognizes that Public Safety Personnel are vital to the protection of life, overall community safety, and the preservation of property; and

**WHEREAS**, Commerce Public Safety encompasses many dedicated professionals who commit themselves to the essential roles of safeguarding and serving the citizens of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's and Los Angeles County Fire Departments provide immediate emergency responses to many life threatening situations; and

**WHEREAS,** our Community Services Officers, Animal Control Officers, Community Services Assistants, Code Enforcement Officers, Urban Search and Rescue Team, and Volunteer ComCats, greatly enhance community safety on a daily basis; and

**WHEREAS,** it is important that all citizens understand the duties, responsibilities, hazards, and sacrifices of public safety personnel, thereby acknowledging the commitment required of these critical positions;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City of Commerce, does hereby proclaim the Month of September 2017 as "Public Safety Recognition Month" and call upon all members of our community to honor the men and women whose diligence and professionalism keep our City and citizens safe.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 2017.

ATTEST:	Oralia Y. Rebollo, Mayor
Lena Shumway City Clerk	_