



Proclamation

AMATEUR RADIO WEEK

WHEREAS, Amateur Radio Operators have been instrumental in providing behind the scenes support for our emergency response and other critical needs; and

WHEREAS, Amateur Radio Operators serve as bridges between people, communities, and countries; and

WHEREAS, Amateur Radio Operators have volunteered countless hours of community service during times of calm and in times of emergency; and

WHEREAS, the City of Monroe values the services Amateur Radio Operators deliver to emergency response organizations, including the Monroe Emergency Management Office; and

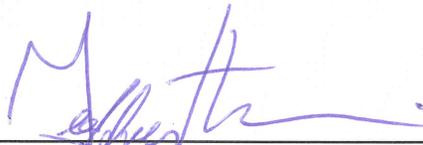
WHEREAS, beginning June 27, 2015, a 24-hour Amateur Radio Field Day exercise will take place to demonstrate Radio Amateur Operators' skills and readiness to deliver self-supporting communication.

NOW THEREFORE I, Geoffrey Thomas, proclaim June 21rd through 28th of 2015 as

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in Monroe and I encourage residents and businesses to join me in thanking Amateur Radio Operators for their service.




Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor