

I wanted to let you know my support for reclassification of 911 telecommunicators to First Responder. My career of 22 years of police/fire dispatchers (and prior to that, a Paramedic) have shown me how integral a part this position plays in the chain of life saving. I started my career in Washington, DC, and now work for a small jurisdiction. The volume of calls is different, but the need for emergency assistance is the same.

We are the FIRST first responders.

thank you,

Cameron Henderson

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