Levy County Florida A Proclamation

Declaring "May 15-22, 2022", as "*Emergency Medical Services Week*" In Levy County, Florida

Whereas, emergency medical services is a vital public service; and

Whereas, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

Whereas, access to quality emergency care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and

Whereas, the emergency medical services system consists of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, first responders, educators, administrators and others; and

Whereas, the members of EMS teams, whether career or volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

Whereas, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of EMS practitioners by designating Emergency Medical Services Week.

Now, **Therefore**, **Be It Proclaimed** by the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida that the week of May 15-22, 2022 shall be known in Levy County as "Emergency Medical Services Week"

Be it further Proclaimed that the Board of County Commissioners recognizes the theme for the week as: "Rising to the Challenge" and encourages the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies and activities.

Duly proclaimed this 17th day of May, 2022.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LEVY COUNTY FLORIDA

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