

## Resolution

**WHEREAS**, emergency medical professionals and volunteers provide medical care to victims of sudden, life-threatening injuries and illnesses, often under stressful conditions and in high risk situations, to save lives; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2023 National Emergency Medical Service Week theme "**EMS: Where Emergency Care Begins**" reminds us that Brevard County's residents and guests benefit daily from the knowledge, skill, and judgment of paramedics, emergency medical technicians, firefighters, dispatchers, educators, administrators, emergency physicians, emergency nurses, and others who encompass the emergency medical services system; and

**WHEREAS**, emergency medical personnel must rapidly assess, manage, and effectively provide care in unpredictable situations requiring life and death judgments; and

**WHEREAS**, Brevard County's EMS teams unselfishly serve on the front line of health care when responding to man-made and natural disasters, at the local, state, and national levels; and

**WHEREAS**, a recognition is due for the Emergency Medical Services system for its accomplishments and contributions to improve public welfare through health care, medical transportation, injury prevention, education, disaster response, homeland security and other initiatives that reduce health care costs and save lives.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA**, does hereby unanimously proclaim the week of May 21, 2023 through May 27, 2023 as

### **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK**

**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED**, in regular session, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023.

ATTEST:

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Rachel M. Sadoff, CLERK

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Rita Pritchett, Chair  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

(As approved by the Board on May 9, 2023)