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CELEBRATING 50 YEARS! 1972-2022

EMS Week Proclamation

To designate the week of May 15 - 21, 2022, as Emergency Medical Services Week 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, Emergency Medical Services have grown to fill a gap by providing important, out of hospital care, including preventative medicine, follow-up care, access to telemedicine; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Medical Services system consists of first responders, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, emergency medical dispatchers, firefighters, police officers, educators, administrators, pre-hospital nurses, emergency nurses, emergency physicians, trained members of the public, and other out of hospital medical care providers; and

WHEREAS, the members of Emergency Medical Services 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 Emergency Medical Services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Miami Valley EMS Council is a governing body that provides protocol and training throughout the region; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Miami Valley EMS Council is celebrating 50 years of dedicated service to the region; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of all EMS providers who have served along with those currently serving others; now

THEREFORE, I [name, title, city, state], in recognition of this event, do hereby proclaim the week of May 15-21, 2022, as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

With the EMS Strong theme, ***Rising To The Challenge***, I encourage the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Name and Title of Official