



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Providing emergency medical services (EMS) is a critical public service; and
- WHEREAS: EMS teams in Minnesota include emergency physicians, physician assistants, emergency nurses, paramedics, emergency medical technicians, emergency medical responders, firefighters, law enforcement personnel, emergency medical dispatchers, educators, and administrators; and
- WHEREAS: The lead agency for EMS in Minnesota is the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board; and
- WHEREAS: Members of EMS teams, many of them volunteers, 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 rates of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and
- WHEREAS: Injury prevention and the appropriate use of the EMS system will help reduce health care costs; and
- WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota recognizes the dedication and service of EMS providers.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 21-27, 2017, as:

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 28th day of April.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE