

Proclamation

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 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, Sparks Fire Department's, REMSA's and Care Flight's commitment to patient care throughout northern Nevada has been an integral factor in our communities safety, security, and success; and

WHEREAS, the region is proud to have an organization such as Sparks Fire Department, REMSA and Care Flight operating within the region to ensure the highest quality of patient care and community support; and

WHEREAS, the successes the Sparks Fire Department, REMSA and Care Flight have accomplished are an indication of its employees' and staff's dedication to the many communities served; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of emergency medical services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week; now

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor of the City of Sparks, Nevada, do hereby proclaim May 15-21, 2016 as:

"EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK"

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Sparks, Nevada to be affixed this 5th day of May, 2016.

GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor

ATTEST:

TERESA GARDNER, City Clerk