



Proclamation

WHEREAS, emergency medical services are a vital component of the regional healthcare system, and 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, innovative 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 engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

WHEREAS, the emergency medical services system consists of men and women in both the public and private sectors – from emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency dispatchers, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators, volunteers, and others throughout our healthcare system who work together to ensure those in need receive the highest level of emergency care; and

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

WHEREAS, the successes of the employees and staff at REMSA, Care Flight, Reno Fire Department, Sparks Fire Department, and Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District are indicative of the dedication to the many communities served.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor of the City of Sparks, Nevada, do hereby proclaim May 21-27, 2017 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 11th day of April, 2017.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Geno R. Martini".

GENO R. MARTINI, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Donna DiCarlo for".

TERESA GARDNER, City Clerk

