



*Office of the Mayor*

# **P** r o c l a m a t i o n

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**WHEREAS**, emergency medical services is a vital public service; and

**WHEREAS**, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide life-saving 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 emergency medical services has grown to fill a gap by providing important, out of hospital care, including preventative medicine, follow-up care, and 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 life-saving skills; and

**WHEREAS**, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of emergency medical service providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, JERRY MOUTON**, along with Deer Park City Council, hereby proclaim the week of May 19—25, 2024 as:

**“EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK”**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Official Seal of the City of Deer Park to be affixed hereto this twenty-first day of May, Two Thou-sand and Twenty-Four, A.D.

**Mayor Jerry Mouton**  
City of Deer Park