

RESOLUTION 2003 - 9

PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF MAY 18-24, 2003  
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 teams consist of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators, and others; and approximately two-thirds of all emergency medical services providers are volunteers; 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**, Americans benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals; and

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

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Mason, Ohio, seven members elected thereto concurring:

Section 1. That the council of the City of Mason, Ohio hereby designates and proclaims May 18-24, 2003 as Emergency Medical Services Week @ in the City of Mason.

Section 2. That all citizens and civic organizations of the City of Mason are encouraged to recognize the contributions which Emergency Medical care providers make to the health and safety of our community.

Section 3. That this Resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law;

Passed this 12th day of May 2003.

Attest:



Clerk of Council



Mayor