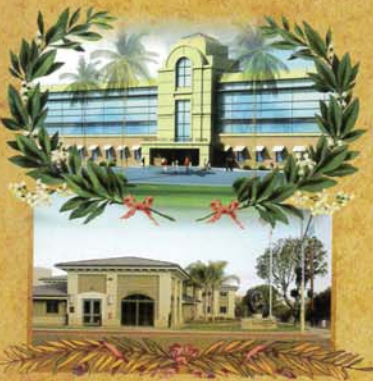




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WHEREAS, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) is a critical public service that provides a comprehensive and seamless system of emergency care for those in need; and

WHEREAS, the EMS system is powered by a vast team of deeply-dedicated and highly-trained professionals, including EMTs, paramedics, firefighters, dispatchers, doctors, nurses, pilots, police officers, deputy sheriffs and support personnel; and

WHEREAS, members of the EMS system stand ready to provide lifesaving care to those encountering a medical emergency, whether in the inner city or the backcountry, 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

WHEREAS, members of the EMS system, whether career or volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their life-saving skills; and

WHEREAS, access to fast, quality emergency care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden injury or illness; and

WHEREAS, National Emergency Medical Services Week was established by President Gerald R. Ford in 1974 to recognize the thousands of EMS professionals in America and the critical work they do in our nation's communities; and

WHEREAS, the theme of National EMS Week this year is "Where Emergency Care Begins,"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, I, Ron Morrison, Mayor by virtue of the authority vested in me by the City of National City, affix the official seal and do hereby on behalf of the City Council proclaim the week of May 21 thru May 27, 2023, as:

National Emergency Medical Services Week

As the Mayor, I call upon all citizens in the City of National City, and civic organizations and ask that they acquaint themselves and commend the brave women and men of the National City Fire Department and American Medical Response.

Ron Morrison

Proud to be Mayor of National City

