## Before the Board of County Commissioners Alartín County, Florida

## A Proclamation

Declaring Emergency Medical Services Week in Martin County, Florida

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

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

emergency medical services teams consist of emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, emergency physicians, emergency nurses, lifeguards, educators, first responders, administrators, emergency telecommunicators, law enforcement and others; and

the members of emergency medical services teams undergo thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

during Emergency Medical Services Week (EMS) Week, we express our gratitude for the skilled personnel who help save lives in our communities. Through the hard work and dedication of these providers, our residents receive exemplary medical treatment in their most vulunerable moments.

Now, therefore, be it proclaimed by the Martin County Board of County Commissioners that the week of May 18-24, 2025 is Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week in Martin County, Florida with the theme "We Care. For Everyone." The Board encourages the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies and activities. Further, the Board commends the men and women of Martin County Fire Rescue for their continuing service to the citizens of Martin County.

## Presented this Twentieth Day of May 2025

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