



# *Proclamation*

*On a motion from Councilor Mike Barnes  
Members of Greenville County Council wish to declare May 16-22, 2021 to be*

## **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK** *in Greenville County*

**WHEREAS**, Greenville County EMS provides a vital public service delivering emergency care 24 hours a day, 365 days a year; and

**WHEREAS**, Greenville County EMS is the sole provider for medial 9-1-1 calls responding to more than 65, 000 calls per year, and operates an internationally honored high performance, tiered system that provides exceptional care; and

**WHEREAS**, Greenville County EMS employees more than 300 talented and dedicated staff members including paramedics, EMTs, communication specialists, operational support techs, and administrators; and

**WHEREAS**, members the emergency medical services team engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

**WHEREAS**, County residents and visitors benefit greatly from the knowledge, education and skill of the highly trained men and women of Greenville County EMS, and their presence enhances our quality of life.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, Greenville County Council honors the incredible talent, purpose and passion of all Greenville County EMS staff, and acknowledges their essential role in public health by declaring May 16-22, 2021 to be **Emergency Medical Services Week** in Greenville County.

Signed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021

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Willis Meadows, Chairman  
Greenville County Council

