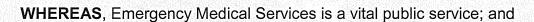
PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, the members of the Emergency Medical Services teams of Napa County 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, the Emergency Medical Services system consists of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, law enforcement, educators, administrators, and others; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, I Bill Dodd, Chairman of the Napa County Board of Supervisors, in recognition of this event do hereby proclaim the week of May 14-20, 2006 as **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK a**nd encourage the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Bill Dodd, Chairman Napa County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Miller Clerk of the Board

