

2025 Regular Session

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 115

BY SENATOR BOUDREAUX

SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH. Designates the week of May 18-24, 2025, as Emergency Medical Services Week in Louisiana.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To designate May 18-24, 2025, as Emergency Medical Services Week in Louisiana.

3 WHEREAS, the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians, in
4 partnership with the American College of Emergency Physicians, has designated the week
5 of May 18 through May 24, 2025, as Emergency Medical Services Week, nationally, and has
6 selected "We Care. For Everyone." as the theme for the week; and

7 WHEREAS, emergency medical services are an essential public service and a vital
8 part of the medical care continuum; and

9 WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide
10 lifesaving care to those in need twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week; and

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

13 WHEREAS, emergency medical services have grown to fill a gap by providing
14 important, out-of-hospital care, including preventive medicine, follow-up care, and access
15 to telemedicine; and

16 WHEREAS, the emergency medical services system consists of emergency medical
17 responders, emergency medical technicians, advanced emergency medical technicians,
18 paramedics, emergency medical dispatchers, firefighters, police officers, educators,

1 administrators, pre-hospital nurses, emergency nurses, physicians, trained members of the
2 public, and other out-of-hospital medical care providers; and

3 WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams, whether career or
4 volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to
5 enhance and ensure their lifesaving skills; and

6 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of
7 emergency medical services providers by designating the week of May 18-24, 2025, as
8 Emergency Medical Services Week in Louisiana highlighting the theme, "We Care. For
9 Everyone."

10 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana
11 does hereby designate May 18-24, 2025, as Emergency Medical Services Week in Louisiana
12 and does hereby encourage the citizens of Louisiana to observe this week with appropriate
13 programs, ceremonies, and activities.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services.
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or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

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