



## PROCLAMATION EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

- WHEREAS, emergency medical service is a vital public service; and
- WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams 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 systems consists of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators, and others; and
- WHEREAS, the members of 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 the accomplishments of emergency medical services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Anthony Gowan, Acting Mayor of the City of La Vista, in recognition of this event, do hereby proclaim the week of May 16-22, 2010 as **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK** with the theme, EMS: Anytime, Anywhere, We'll Be There, and I encourage the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

DATED THIS 18TH DAY OF MAY, 2010



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Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Pamela A. Buethe, CMC  
City Clerk