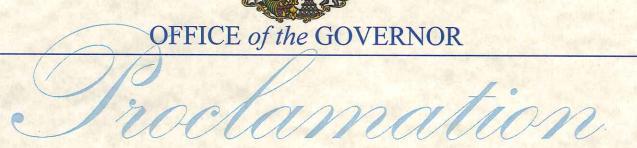
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WHEREAS; emergency medical services are a vital public service to the people and communities of Wisconsin; and

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

WHEREAS; the State of Wisconsin hopes to improve its emergency medical services and trauma care systems in order to assure all citizens the highest standards of emergency medical care; and

WHEREAS; emergency care personnel, including skilled dispatchers, first responders, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, nurses, and physicians – both volunteers and paid personnel – engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

WHEREAS; 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; people in Wisconsin benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals and their unselfish dedication to Wisconsin's residents and visitors;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim the week of May 18 – 24, 2014, as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



By the Governor:

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 8th day of May 2014.

SCOTT WALKER GOVERNOR