

Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

WHEREAS, during Emergency Medical Services Week, we honor all of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) providers who play such a critical role in health and safety of our nation; and

WHEREAS, these incredible professionals respond to daily calls for urgent assistance and work tirelessly to serve their communities. At home, the New Milford Volunteer Ambulance Corps. (NMVAC) provides exemplary services to our community as well as our neighbors in Oradell, NJ; and

WHEREAS, most recently, they have made significant contributions and immeasurable sacrifices during the coronavirus pandemic and have courageously risen to the challenge; and

WHEREAS, this week, we recognize these heroic men and women for their efforts to deliver life-saving care and compassion and thank them for working as partners with our local police and fire departments to make our communities healthier and safer; and

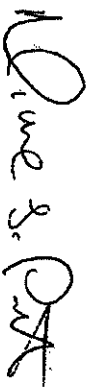
WHEREAS, at a moment's notice, these dedicated men and women rush to employ their specialized knowledge, experience, and leadership to reduce the severity of injuries and save lives, often in very high-risk situations. Every day, EMS personnel stand ready to help those in peril, responding faithfully to the needs of their fellow citizens when lives are on the line and every second matters. They do all of this under incredible pressure that can take an emotional and physical toll on even the most seasoned professionals; and

WHEREAS, this week, we honor all who provide emergency medical services across our country for their tenacity and life-saving skills. Thanks to their incredible efforts, our communities and our Nation are stronger, safer, and more resilient. Especially in these trying times, we are immensely proud of these brave Americans; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL J. PUTRINO, Mayor of the Borough of New Milford and on behalf of DIANNE DIDIO, Mayor of Oradell do hereby proclaim May 16 through May 22, 2021, as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

in New Milford and Oradell and we encourage all residents to observe this occasion by showing their support for local EMS professionals through appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.



Mayor Michael J. Putrino

