

WHEREAS, emergency medical services is a vital public service; and

WHEREAS, Margate-Coconut Creek Fire Rescue has served the citizens of Margate through medical rescue, firefighting, fire prevention and injury prevention training, and CPR; and

WHEREAS, the firefighting paramedics and EMTs of Margate-Coconut Creek Fire Rescue have won numerous awards over the years; and

WHEREAS, EMS systems such as ours dramatically improve the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and

WHEREAS, our EMS system, the firefighting paramedics and our EMTs are recognized as some of the finest in the State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joanne Simone, Mayor of the City of Margate, do hereby proclaim the week of May 17th, through May 23rd, 2015, as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

in the City of Margate and urge all citizens to support the Fire Rescue team.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City of Margate to be affixed this 20th day of May 2015.

JOANNE SIMONE, MAYOR