

Proclamation

*To designate the week of:
May 26 to June 1, 2019*

Paramedic Services Week

WHEREAS, Paramedic Services and emergency medical services (EMS) is a vital public service; and

WHEREAS, the Paramedics and Emergency Medical Responders 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 system consists of Emergency Medical Responders, Paramedics, emergency physicians, emergency nurses, firefighters, educators, administrators, dispatchers 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 Paramedics and Emergency Medical Responders by designating Paramedic Services Week; and

Now, therefore, I, Mayor Danny Breen, of the City of St. John's, in recognition of this event do hereby proclaim the week of May 26 to June 1, 2019, as

PARAMEDIC SERVICES WEEK

With the 2019 theme, Celebrating Successes, we celebrate the successes that our profession has made over the years and how we continue to make improvements for the betterment of our patients, our practitioners and our profession.

Dated this 27th day of May, 2019.

Mayor Danny Breen

ST. JOHN'S