



## PROCLAMATION

### *Emergency Medical Services Week - May 15-21, 2011*



*Whereas*, emergency medical services 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 system consists of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators and others; and

*Whereas*, the members of emergency medical services teams 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, Jim Bunker, Mayor of the Town of Chino Valley, do hereby proclaim *May 15-21, 2011 as Emergency Medical Services Week* in Chino Valley, Arizona, with the theme "EMS: Everyday Heroes," and I encourage the community to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies and activities.

*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of Chino Valley to be affixed this 10th day of May 2011.

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Jim Bunker, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jami C. Lewis, Town Clerk