## PROCLAMATION

## National Nurses Week MAY 6-12, 2021

**WHEREAS**, the depth and breadth of the registered nursing profession has faced unprecedented times that most of us never imagined; few times has our reliance on nurses been more profoundly evident than during the past year; and

**WHEREAS**, nurses met the challenge of an unimaginable pandemic, we have witnessed courage, compassion, dedication and leadership in caring for our community and families; and

**WHEREAS**, countless numbers of lives have been touched by nurses thereby improving the quality of life for these citizens of New Jersey.

**WHEREAS**, the demand for registered nursing services is greater than ever because of the complex healthcare challenges of COVID-19 patients as well as the aging of the American population, the continuing expansion of life-sustaining technology; and

**WHEREAS**, safe and quality health care services provided by registered nurses will be an ever more important component of the U.S. health care delivery system in the future; and

**WHEREAS**, this committee urges all citizens to offer wholehearted gratitude, uncompromising support, and utmost respect to these invaluable health care professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED, the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Plumsted, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey do hereby proclaim that May 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> is NATIONAL NURSES WEEK in Plumsted Township and sees this as an opportunity to join the Nation in recognizing those that have provided care to patients in time of need.

Herbert F. Marinari, Mayor

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