WHEREAS, emergency medical services is a vital public service; and
WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to
provide life-saving 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, emergency medical services has grown to fill a gap by providing
important, out of hospital care, including preventative medicine, follow-up
care, and access to telemedicine; and
WHEREAS, the emergency medical services system consists of first
responders, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, emergency medical
dispatchers, firefighters, police officers, educators, administrators, pre-hospital
nurses, emergency nurses, emergency physicians, trained members of the
public, and other out of hospital medical care providers; 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 life-saving 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, Madison Davis, Mayor of the City of Brisbane, in recognition
of this event do hereby proclaim the week of May 21 - 27, 2023, as
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK. With the EMS Strong theme,
EMS WEEK: Where Emergency Care Begins, I encourage the community to
observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Dated: 5/18/2023

Madison, Mayor