

PROCLAMATION

National Hospital Week

WHEREAS, California is home to more than 450 hospitals, in rural, suburban, and urban areas; they are a source of hope and healing for all in need, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, year-round, providing life-saving and life-changing care and improving the lives of those experiencing traumatic illness and bodily harm; and

WHEREAS, hospitals treat 1 in 4 Californians every year, including 15 million visits to emergency departments for critical health care services, and more than 400,000 deliveries of babies every year in California; and

WHEREAS, hospitals are safe havens for people needing emergency care, and are at the forefront of response during natural disasters and unexpected emergencies; and

WHEREAS, healthcare workers serve as the cornerstone of our healthcare system, providing compassionate, skilled, and tireless care to individuals and families in times of illness, crisis, and recovery; and

WHEREAS, the challenges posed by public health emergencies, chronic disease, mental health crises, and everyday medical needs underscore the critical importance of healthcare workers in maintaining and improving the health of our population; and

WHEREAS, hospitals and healthcare workers are pillars in their communities and critical part of the state's health care system, leading California to have the fourth-highest life expectancy in the nation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Cameron Bregman, Mayor of the City of Lodi, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of May 11 - 17, 2025 as National Hospital Week in Lodi, and I encourage all residents to join me in expressing our sincere appreciation for the dedicated healthcare professionals who work tirelessly to keep our community healthy and safe.

SIGNED this 7th day of May, 2025.

Cameron Bregman,
Mayor, City of Lodi