

Office of the Mayor



Proclamation

Whereas, nurses and hospitals provide a vital public service; *and*

Whereas, members of the nursing profession and hospitals are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week; *and*

Whereas, access to quality nursing care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience illness or injury; *and*

Whereas, professional nursing has been demonstrated to be an indispensable component in the safety and quality of care of hospitalized patients, *and*

Whereas, members of nursing hospital staff professions, whether career or volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; *and*

Whereas, the professional nurses, hospital staff and their families have sacrificed to provide safety and quality care to very ill hospitalized patients; *and*

Whereas, nurses and hospitals met the challenge of an unimaginable pandemic, we have witnessed courage, compassion, dedication in caring for the City of Venice, its residents and visitors, *and*

Whereas, it is appropriate to recognize the value and accomplishments of nursing care providers by designating Nurses and Hospitals Week.

Now therefore, I, Nick Pachota, Mayor of the City of Venice on behalf of the Venice City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of May 11th to May 17th, 2025 as

National Nurses and Hospital Week

in the City of Venice and urge all citizens to support all nurses and our local hospitals.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Venice to be affixed this 22nd day of April, 2025.

Nick Pachota, Mayor