

RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 2021 AS

HOME CARE & HOSPICE MONTH

LEWIS COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, home care services provide high-quality and compassionate health care to more than five million Americans annually, especially in times of community or personal health care crisis; and

WHEREAS, most Americans want to age in place, and home care services allow the disabled, elderly and chronically ill to live independently in their own homes as long as they possibly can, helping families stay together and providing for greater health, dignity and comfort in our communities; and

WHEREAS, home care is a growing alternative to hospitalization or other institution-based forms of health care for acute and chronic illnesses; and

WHEREAS, everyday heroes – including home care nurses, therapists and aides – travel extensively and work tirelessly to provide professional support to millions of Americans in need of quality care; and

WHEREAS, these dedicated home care professionals and volunteers form a support network that plays a vital role in health care delivery for our nation's disabled, infirm and aging population; and

WHEREAS, the National Association for Home Care & Hospice and home care agencies across the U.S. have declared the month of November as National Home Care & Hospice Month to celebrate these heroes and to call attention to the important role they play.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lewis County Board of County Commissioners does hereby proclaim November as National Home Care & Hospice Month and encourages all citizens to learn about and celebrate the concepts of home care and hospice care for the elderly, disabled and infirm.

Done in open session this 23rd day of November 2021.

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