

Legislation Text

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Title

Proclaiming the week of April 3-9, 2006 as PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK in Madison, Wisconsin.

Body

WHEREAS, Public Health - Madison and Dane County is the official agency of the City of Madison and Dane County responsible for protecting the health and safety of individuals and families across Dane County; and

WHEREAS, we are currently living in uncertain times, with unprecedented concerns about the safety of our food, air, and water; and

WHEREAS, we live under heightened concerns about biological, chemical, and nuclear agents being used against civilian populations; and

WHEREAS, the loyal staff of Public Health - Madison and Dane County, together with dedicated community partners, has the goal of making Madison and Dane County one of the healthiest and safest communities in the nation; and

WHEREAS, the primary mission of Public Health over the past 100 years is the prevention of health problems and response to public health threats; and

WHEREAS, the first week in April of each year is celebrated as National Public Health Week;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor of the City of Madison, Wisconsin, along with the Madison Common Council, does hereby proclaim April 3-9, 2006 as "**PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK**" in the City of Madison, and urge all citizens to join us in recognizing the valuable contribution that public health agencies make to our community.