

IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI

A RESOLUTION recognizing National Nurses Week 2026 and honoring the service of nurses at University Health-Kansas City and other area hospitals.

RESOLUTION NO. 22268, May 11, 2026

INTRODUCED BY Jalen Anderson, County Legislator

WHEREAS, nurses provide life-saving care to Jackson County residents and others every day; and,

WHEREAS, University Health-Kansas City is a county-owned facility; and

WHEREAS, nurses serve on the front lines of healthcare, risking their lives to treat the injured and sick; and,

WHEREAS, nurses are the largest group of workers in America's healthcare system; and,

WHEREAS, the work of nurses encompasses a wide scope of medical practice, including direct care, education, and research; and,

WHEREAS, nurses help promote healthy lifestyles and help Americans treat and prevent chronic diseases; and,

WHEREAS, University Health employs over 1,500 nurses at its various locations throughout Jackson County; and,

WHEREAS, nurses are leaders and consistently provide visionary leadership at health systems across the United States; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, that the Legislature hereby designates the week of May 6 – May 12, 2026, as National Nurses' Week in Jackson County, paying thanks and tribute to these community heroes.

Effective Date: This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage by a majority of the Legislature.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Lewis
County Counselor

Certificate of Passage

I hereby certify that the attached resolution, Resolution No. 22268 of May 11, 2026, was duly passed on May 11, 2026 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 6

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 1

Excused 2

5.11.2026
Date

Mary Jo Spino
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature