

- Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNAs) are advanced practice registered nurses who have WHEREAS. provided safe, compassionate anesthesia care to U.S. patients for more than 150 years; and
- WHEREAS. CRNAs are the primary anesthesia providers in rural communities and for U.S. military personnel, and they practice in every setting in which anesthesia is delivered - from traditional hospital surgical suites and delivery rooms to critical access hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers, to the offices of dentists, podiatrists, ophthalmologists, pain management specialists; and
- WHEREAS, CRNAs have served courageously on the frontlines of the coronavirus pandemic, using their advanced skills in airway management, intubation, and ventilator management to care for the sickest patients, and leaving their homes and families to travel nationwide, assisting where the need is greatest.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA, do hereby proclaim the week of January 23 through January 29, 2022, to be:

NATIONAL CRNA WEEK

PRESENTED this 1st day of January 2022.

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