



PROCLAMATION

COUNTY OF KENTON
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
OFFICE OF THE JUDGE/EXECUTIVE

WHEREAS: Terry Foster graduated from Booth Memorial Hospital School of Practical Nursing in 1977 as a licensed practical nurse (LPN). After working for four years as an LPN in both the Emergency Department and Intensive Care Unit, he received his registered nurse (RN) diploma from The Christ Hospital School of Nursing and, in 1997, received his Master's Degree in Critical-Care and Trauma Nursing from the University of Cincinnati College of Nursing and Health; and

WHEREAS: Terry Foster has held positions of volunteer, ward clerk, staff nurse, charge nurse, critical-care instructor, clinical director and night supervisor, at both the Mercy Hospitals of Cincinnati, Ohio, and at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Northern Kentucky. He has four national certifications in critical-care nursing, emergency nursing, pediatric emergency nursing, and trauma nursing; and

WHEREAS: Terry Foster was elected in 2018 to a three-year term on the Emergency Nurses Association (ENA) Board of Directors and, in 2021, served as the Secretary/Treasurer. He is the 2023 President-Elect of the ENA. Terry has been featured in ten episodes of The Learning Channels (TLC) national TV program *Untold Stories of the ER*, and he is the first RN to ever be featured on this physician only based television show; and

WHEREAS: Terry Foster has been the recipient of the Judith Kelleher Award, which is the highest award given by the Emergency Nurses Association and he was inducted as a Fellow into the Academy of Emergency Nursing, an internationally appointed group of accomplished emergency nursing leaders from around the world. He has devoted his entire life to the people of Kenton County.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Kenton County Fiscal Court, do hereby proclaim Terry Foster as a:

"2022 KENTON COUNTY PIONEER AWARD HONOREE"

In witness thereof, we have hereunto set our hand,
and caused to be affixed the Seal of the
County of Kenton, Kentucky.

Judge/Executive Kris A. Knochelmann

Commissioner Beth Sewell

Commissioner Dr. Jon Draud

Commissioner Joe Nienaber