



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, safety is the highest priority for the highways and streets of our City and State; and

WHEREAS, the great State of Illinois is proud to be a national leader in motorcycle safety, education, and awareness, and

WHEREAS, motorcycles are a common and economical means of transportation that reduces fuel consumption and road wear, and contributes in a significant way to the relief of traffic and parking congestion; and

WHEREAS, it is especially meaningful that the citizens of our city and state be aware of motorcycles on the roadways and recognize the importance of motorcycle safety; and

WHEREAS, the members of Central Illinois A.B.A.T.E. Chapter of A.B.A.T.E of Illinois, Inc. (A Brotherhood Aimed Toward Education), continually promote motorcycle safety, education, and awareness in high school drivers' education programs and to the general public in our City and State; and

WHEREAS, the motorcyclists of Illinois have contributed extensive volunteerism and money to national and community charitable organizations; and

WHEREAS, during the month of May, all roadway users should unite in the safe sharing of roadways within the City of Monmouth and throughout the great State of Illinois;

THEREFORE, I, Rod Davies, Mayor of the City of Monmouth, in the great State of Illinois, in recognition of 36 years of Central Illinois A.B.A.T.E Chapter of A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois, Inc., and in recognition of the continued role Illinois serves as a leader in motorcycle safety, education, and awareness,


DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF MAY, THIS YEAR 2023 AS

MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS MONTH

in the City of Monmouth and urge all motorists to join in an effort to improve safety and awareness on our roadways.

Dated this 1st Day of May, 2023.

ATTESTED:


Rod Davies, Mayor

Susan S. Trevor, City Clerk

