

THE CITY OF CREST HILL, ILLINOIS
PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR

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 primary 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 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, presenting motorcycle awareness programs to over 120,000 participants in Illinois over the past eight years; and

WHEREAS, all motorcyclists should join A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois, Inc. in actively promoting the safe operation of motorcycles as well as promoting motorcycle safety, education, awareness and respect of the citizens of our City and State; and

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

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

NOW THEREFORE, I, Raymond R. Soliman, Mayor of the City of Crest Hill, in the great State of Illinois, in recognition of the 39th Anniversary of the efforts of A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois, Inc., and the over 352,318 registered motorcyclists statewide, 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 2026, AS

MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS MONTH

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Crest Hill, to be affixed this 18th day of May, in the year Two Thousand Twenty-Six.


Raymond R. Soliman, Mayor

