

WHEREAS: the bicycle has proven itself to be a means of non-polluting and non-energy consuming means of transportation; and

WHEREAS: it has demonstrated its effectiveness as both a recreational and commuter type vehicle; and

WHEREAS: for the first time in this century, the bicycle outsold the automobile in 1972;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 19, 1973 to be

BICYCLE AWARENESS DAY

in Minnesota and urge all Minnesotans to consider seriously the effective alternative the bicycle presents as a viable means of transportation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all forms of governing bodies, and departments responsible to these governing bodies, within the State of Minnesota, put forth meaningful efforts to provide for safe and unobstructed bicycle lanes throughout our urban and rural settings in the State of Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this fifteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three and of the State the one hundred and fifteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson

GOVERNOR

Arden J. Erdall  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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