

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania



Governor's Office

PROCLAMATION

NATIONAL BIKE MONTH
May 2018

NATIONAL BIKE WEEK
May 14-18, 2018

NATIONAL BIKE TO WORK DAY
May 18, 2018

WHEREAS, citizens and visitors of all ages engage in bicycling for transportation, recreation, fitness, and sport around this great commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, bicycling offers a unique perspective from which we can discover Pennsylvania's scenic beauty, history, and culture as we travel on our rural roads and through our historic towns, villages, and cities; and

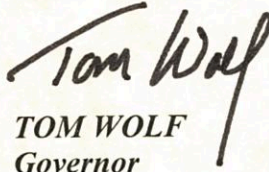
WHEREAS, Pennsylvania is a national leader in trail development and miles and has an abundance of designated highway bicycle routes and roadways used for recreation and transportation; and

WHEREAS, using a bicycle as a mode of transportation helps to reduce pollution and congestion and improve cyclists' health; and

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania joins states across the nation in celebrating May 2018 as National Bike Month. Events and activities scheduled for May 2018 reaffirm our commitment to the value and benefit of using bicycles for recreation and transportation and emphasize health and economic benefits derived from biking throughout the commonwealth.

THEREFORE, I, Tom Wolf, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby proclaim May 14-18, 2018, as BIKE TO WORK WEEK, May 18, 2018, as BIKE TO WORK DAY, and May 2018 as NATIONAL BIKE MONTH. I urge Pennsylvania employers to recognize the importance of encouraging and supporting the use of bicycling to our buildings, offices, and public places by our employees and visitors alike.

GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Governor, at the City of Harrisburg, on this sixteenth of February two thousand eighteen, the year of the commonwealth the two hundred forty-second.


TOM WOLF
Governor

