

WHEREAS, safety is the highest priority for the highways and streets of our townships 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 important that motorists be aware of motorcycles on the roadways and recognize the importance of motorcycle safety; and,

WHEREAS, all motorcyclists should actively promote the safe operation of motorcycles as well as promoting motorcycle safety, education, awareness, and respect; 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 throughout the great state of Illinois;

THEREFORE, I, JB Pritzker, Governor of the State of Illinois, do hereby proclaim May 2021, as **Motorcycle Awareness Month**, 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 State of Illinois to be affixed.



Done at the Capitol in the City of Springfield,

this ______ this _____ day of ______ MAY _____, in

the Year of Our Lord, two thousand and

______ TWENTY-ONE _____, and of the State of Illinois,

two hundred and ______ THIRD _____.

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