

PROCLAMATION

**May 2015
Bike Month**

WHEREAS, the bicycle is an economical, healthy, convenient, and environmentally sound form of transportation and an excellent tool for recreation and enjoyment of Carson City's scenic beauty; and

WHEREAS, Carson City recognizes bicyclists as legitimate roadway users who are therefore entitled to legal and responsible use of all public roadway facilities in Carson City; and

WHEREAS, Carson City, recognizing the use of bicycles as a viable mode of transportation, endeavors to promote safe and responsible bicycling; and

WHEREAS, Carson City has been designated as a Bronze Level Bicycle Friendly City by the League of American Bicyclists; and

WHEREAS, creating a bicycle-friendly community has been shown to improve citizens' health, well-being, and quality of life, grow the economy, attract tourism dollars, improve traffic safety, and reduce pollution, congestion, and wear and tear on our streets and roads; and

WHEREAS, Carson City is committed to the inclusion of bicycle facilities as part of the vision for revitalizing Carson City; and

WHEREAS, throughout the month of May, the residents of Carson City will experience the joys of bicycling through educational programs, commuting events, or by simply getting out and going for a ride;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert Crowell, Mayor of Carson City, Nevada do hereby proclaim May 2015 as Bike Month in Carson City.



Dated this 21st day of May 2015.

Robert L. Crowell, Mayor