

City of Colorado Springs, Colorado

Proclamation

BIKE MONTH JUNE 2020

- WHEREAS,** thousands of Colorado Springs residents have rediscovered the joys of riding a bicycle under the state's Safe at Home Executive Order; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Colorado Springs, a HEAL City, promotes bicycling as a means to better health and wellness; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Colorado Springs recognizes the use of bicycles as a viable mode of transportation, endeavors to promote safe and responsible bicycling and is committed to incorporating the development of bicycle facilities; and
- WHEREAS,** our City maintains over 130 miles of on-street bike infrastructure and 290 miles of Parks trails which attract thousands of bicyclists each year; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Colorado Springs is nationally recognized as a Silver Level Bicycle Friendly Community, as designated by the League of American Bicyclists; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Colorado Springs recognizes bicycling to businesses and local points of interest have a positive economic impact in our community; and
- WHEREAS,** KOAA News5, 98.9 Magic FM, the Colorado Springs Independent newspaper, Bike Colorado Springs, Support the Springs and the Council of Neighbors and Organizations and other local businesses and organizations will be promoting bicycling as a viable means of supporting our business community during Bike To Business Week, June 22-28.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard Skorman, President of the Colorado Springs City Council, do hereby proclaim June 2020 as

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in Colorado Springs, and I encourage citizens to try bicycling as a sensible mode of transportation, fitness and/or recreation

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Colorado Springs to be affixed this twenty-third day of June 2020.



Richard Skorman, President
Colorado Springs City Council