

PROCLAMATION

KIDS TO PARKS DAY

WHEREAS, May 18th, 2019 is the ninth Kids to Parks Day organized and launched by the National Park Trust, held annually on the third Saturday of May; and

WHEREAS, Kids to Parks Day empowers kids and encourages families to get outdoors and visit America's parks; and

WHEREAS, it is important to introduce a new generation to our nation's parks; and

WHEREAS, we should encourage children to lead a more active lifestyle to combat the issues of childhood obesity, diabetes mellitus, hypertension and hypercholesterolemia; and

WHEREAS, Kids to Parks Day is open to all children and adults across the country to encourage a large and diverse group of participants; and

WHEREAS, Kids to Parks Day will broaden children's appreciation for nature and outdoors; and

NOW THEREFORE, I, Diana Broderson, Mayor of the City of Muscatine do hereby proclaim to participate in Kids to Parks Day. I encourage residents of Muscatine to make time May 18th, 2019 to take the children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of Muscatine to be affixed this 2rd day of May, 2019.

Diana Broderson, Mayor

