

proclamation

Winter Park Bicycle Month | March 2016

WHEREAS, for more than a century, the bicycle has been an important part of the lives of most Americans; and

WHEREAS, today, millions of Americans engage in bicycling because it is a viable and environmentally-sound form of transportation, an excellent form of fitness, and provides quality family recreation; and

WHEREAS, Winter Park's Green Local Government initiative is an environmental action agenda designed to transform Winter Park into one of the most environmentally-conscious cities in America, encouraging environmentally-friendly lifestyles through alternative transportation modes like bicycling; and

WHEREAS, the City of Winter Park incorporates multi-modal policies when investing in road improvements to enable safe access for all users, including bicycle routes, off-road trails, bicycle lanes and bike parking; and

WHEREAS, the education of both cyclists and motorists as to the proper and safe operation of bicycles is important to ensure the safety and comfort of all users.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steve Leary, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Winter Park, in the state of Florida, do hereby proclaim the month of **March 2016** to be **Winter Park Bicycle Month** in the City of Winter Park, Florida, and encourage all residents to ride their bicycles with safety in mind.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Winter Park, Florida, to be affixed this 9th day of March 2016.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Steve Leary", is written over a faint blue line.

Steve Leary
Mayor