

Whereas, America's transportation infrastructure continues to deteriorate at a pace faster than it can be maintained; and

Whereas, scooters and motorcycles have a less harmful impact on that infrastructure and our environment; and

Whereas, the overwhelming majority of commuter vehicles are single occupant automobiles, and

Whereas, each commuter who travels by scooter or motorcycle means one less automobile on our already congested streets and in parking facilities; and

Whereas, scooters and motorcycles require only a fraction of the space taken by other vehicles to commute and park, thereby addressing an ongoing congestion crisis on our roadways; and

Whereas, the direct and indirect costs of fossil fuels are all continually increasing; and

Whereas, scooters and motorcycles operate a much lower rate of fuel consumption, and produce only a fraction of the tailpipe emissions as compared to the average automobile, and

Whereas, road-going scooters and motorcycles are owned and operated for weekend and discretionary recreation; and

Whereas, for these reasons, The City of Kyle encourages its citizens to more often utilize scooters and motorcycles as a form of daily transportation; and

Whereas, June 19, 2017 has been designated as national "Ride To Work Day" to highlight the positive daily use of scooters and motorcycles

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Todd Webster, Mayor of the City of Kyle, do hereby proclaim June 19, 2017 to be

"Ride to Work Day"

In the City of Kyle.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Kyle, Texas to be affixed this 6th day of June, 2017.

R. Todd Webster, Mayor