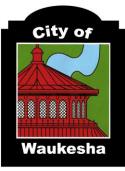
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## Kids to Parks Day Proclamation

WHEREAS, May 20th, 2017 is the seventh Kids to Parks Day organized and launched by the National Park Trust; 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, and hypertension; 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

**WHEREAS**, the City of Waukesha has a large number of parks that we own and maintain for the children of Waukesha to enjoy; and

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Shawn Reilly, Mayor of the City of Waukesha, Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim that the City of Waukesha will participate in Kids to Parks Day. I urge residents of the City of Waukesha to make time May 20th, 2017 to take the children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

Signed this 2nd day of May, 2017

Shawn Reilly, Mayor City of Waukesha

