

National Kids to Parks Day

WHEREAS, May 19, 2018 is the eighth 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 the outdoors.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Kenneth J. Kreutzer, Mayor of the City of Brighton, Colorado, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim to participate in National Kids to Parks Day. I urge residents of Brighton to make time May 19, 2018 to take the children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

DATED this 15th day of May, 2018.

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