



Memorandum

TO: City Council

FROM: Alfred Lott, City Manager

SUBJECT: Proclamation P-12-22 Proclaiming May 21, 2022 as Kids to Parks Day in the City of Bowie

DATE: 05/12/2022

ATTACHMENTS: 1. 20220516 - Proclamation P-12-22

PROCLAMATION
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOWIE, MARYLAND
PROCLAIMING MAY 21, 2022 AS KIDS TO PARKS DAY IN BOWIE

WHEREAS, May 21, 2022 is the twelfth Kids to Parks Day organized and launched by the National Park Trust, held annually on the third Saturday in 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.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland does hereby declare May 21, 2022, as Kids to Parks Day in Bowie, Maryland and encourage residents to make time to take children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

INTRODUCED AND PASSED by the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland at a Regular Meeting on May 16, 2022.

Attest:

Timothy J. Adams, Mayor

Awilda Hernandez, City Clerk