

**PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS, millions of Americans engage in cycling because it is a viable and environmentally sound form of transportation and an excellent form of physical fitness; and**

**WHEREAS, Bike-to-Work Week helps to increase public awareness for bicycling, educate the community about the benefits of bicycling for transportation purposes, and encourages people to try bicycle commuting; and**

**WHEREAS, there is a need to promote alternative forms of transportation such as walking and bicycling in order to reduce pollution, reduce America's dependence on fossil fuels, and improve the health and well being of all people; and**

**WHEREAS, increasing the number of bicycling lanes, paths, storage facilities, and traffic calming measures will help the city ease automobile traffic congestion and encourage a healthy lifestyle for residents.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the June 13-19, 2019 is hereby designated as**

**BIKE-TO-WORK Week**

**in the City of Laramie, Wyoming. The City of Laramie, Wyoming, furthermore encourages all citizens to recognize the importance of sharing our streets and highways with cyclists.**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the City to be affixed this Fifteenth Day of June, 2021.**

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**Paul Weaver, Mayor of the City of Laramie**

**Attest:**

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**Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk**