

## CITY OF FORT WAYNE

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS,

The price of fossil fuel is growing and supply is diminishing; and

WHEREAS,

The use of fossil fuel continues to damage people's health by pollution and the future through global warming; and

WHEREAS,

Scooters and motorcycles use less fuel, cause less pollution and have little impact on the infrastructure; and

WHEREAS,

Scooters and motorcycles require only a fraction of space taken by other vehicles to park, thereby addressing an ongoing problem in the city; and

WHEREAS,

For these reasons, scooters and motorcycles offer a form of daily transportation to be encouraged;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GRAHAM RICHARD, Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, do hereby proclaim July 19, 2006, as

## RIDE TO WORK DAY

in Fort Wayne, and I encourage scooter and motorcycle riders to ride to work,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Office of Mayor, City of Fort Wayne, Indiana to be affixed this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2006.

Graham Richard

Mayor