

TOWN OF EDGEWOOD, NEW MEXICO

PROCLAMATION

**DECLARING THE MONTH OF MAY AS MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS MONTH
IN THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD**

WHEREAS, motorcycles are used as a regular means of transportation for commuting, touring and recreation in and around Edgewood, New Mexico; and

WHEREAS, the Edgewood scenic roadways make motorcycling a very popular destination for riders from around the country; and

WHEREAS, the safe operation of a motorcycle requires the use of acquired skills developed through a combination of training and experience, the use of good judgement, and thorough knowledge of traffic laws and licensing requirements; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the residents of Edgewood be aware, show consideration and share the road with motorcycles on the streets and highways and recognize the importance of motorcycle safety; and

WHEREAS, the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration has declared May as "Motorcycle Awareness Month"; it is the desire of the Town of Edgewood to join the NHTSA in raising awareness of the growing number of motorcyclists on Edgewood's roadways in order to help prevent accidents and most importantly, save lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that I, Mayor Pro Tem John Abrams hereby proclaim the Month of May to be **MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS MONTH** in Edgewood, and urge our citizens to be observant, courteous and knowledgeable about motorcycle usage in our community.


John Abrams, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Juan Torres, Clerk-Treasurer