



# Resolution

**NO. 2010-03**

RECOGNIZING MAY AS BIKE MONTH IN THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON REGION

WHEREAS, many residents of the Houston-Galveston Region bicycle because it is an excellent form of exercise, an environmentally sound form of transportation, and a fun activity; and,

WHEREAS, 79 million Americans think that bikeways, walking paths, and sidewalks are very important in choosing where to live; and,

WHEREAS replacing short car trips with bicycle trips helps the H-GAC region meet air emission reduction goals; and

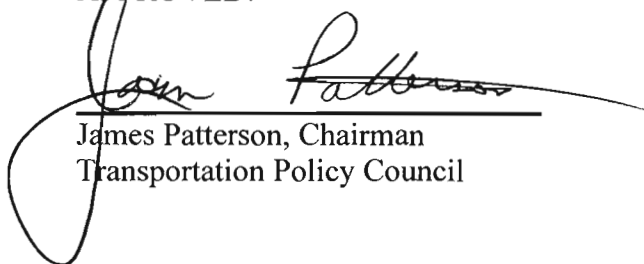
WHEREAS, the League of American Bicyclists has celebrated May as National Bike Month for over 50 years to increase public awareness for bicycling and to encourage people to try bicycle commuting; and,

WHEREAS, several agencies and organizations in the Houston-Galveston Region promote bicycling in May through organized rides and bike-to-work events.

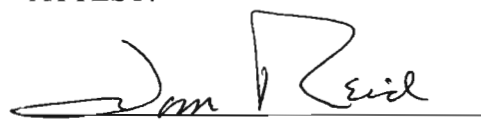
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL TRANSPORTATION POLICY COUNCIL HEREBY RECOGNIZES MAY AS BIKE MONTH AND HEREBY ENCOURAGES CITIZENS OF THIS REGION TO BECOME MORE AWARE OF BICYCLISTS ON OUR STREETS AND IN OUR COMMUNITIES.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 23rd day of April 2010, at a regularly called meeting of the Transportation Policy Council.

APPROVED:

  
James Patterson, Chairman  
Transportation Policy Council

ATTEST:

  
Tom Reid, Secretary  
Transportation Policy Council