

# PROCLAMATION



## OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENACRES, FLORIDA, PROCLAIMING "KIDS TO PARKS DAY" FOR MAY 21, 2016

**WHEREAS**, May 21, 2016 is the sixth annual "Kids to Parks Day" organized and launched by the National Park Trust; 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 because of the decline in park attendance over the last decades; 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 the outdoors.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, SAMUEL J. FERRERI, MAYOR, OF THE CITY OF GREENACRES**, do hereby proclaim May 21, 2016 as "Kids to Parks Day" in the City of Greenacres, Florida; and urge all residents to take time to take the children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

Given under my Hand and Seal of the City of  
Greenacres, Florida, this 2nd day of May,  
2016.

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Samuel J. Ferreri, Mayor

Attest:

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Denise McGrew, City Clerk