
State of Iowa
Executive Department

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS,** NEARLY 10 YEARS AGO THE IOWA LEGISLATURE ENACTED THE WASTE TIRE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM THAT TOOK EFFECT JULY 1, 1996; AND
- WHEREAS,** IOWANS GENERATE 3 MILLION SCRAP TIRES PER YEAR THAT POSE A HEALTH, SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL RISK; AND
- WHEREAS,** IOWA'S ENVIRONMENT IS PRECIOUS AND NO PERSON HAS THE RIGHT TO POLLUTE IOWA'S AIR, WATER, OR SOIL; AND
- WHEREAS,** THE ENVIRONMENT IS VULNERABLE AND IRREPLACEABLE, AND ALL IOWANS HAVE AN ONGOING RESPONSIBILITY TO CONSERVE, PRESERVE, AND ENHANCE THE STATE'S NATURAL RESOURCES TO GUARANTEE THEIR CONTINUED EXISTENCE AND USE BY PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS; AND
- WHEREAS,** PROPER TIRE MAINTENANCE CAN PROTECT THE SAFETY OF IOWANS, REDUCE THE NUMBER OF SCRAP TIRES GENERATED, AND REDUCE ENERGY USE VIA IMPROVED GAS MILEAGE; AND
- WHEREAS,** PROPER TIRE DISPOSAL PROVIDES TIRES AS A RAW MATERIAL RESOURCE FOR IOWA'S \$2.4 BILLION RECYCLING INDUSTRY AND FOR CIVIL ENGINEERING AND FUEL APPLICATIONS:

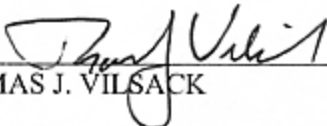
NOW, THEREFORE, I, TOM VILSACK, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF IOWA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM OCTOBER 2005 THE BEGINNING OF A TWO-YEAR LONG CONSUMER TIRE MAINTENANCE AND RECYCLING CAMPAIGN AND OCTOBER 2005 AS

IOWA TIRE CARE MONTH

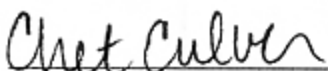
IN IOWA.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERE-
UNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND
CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE
OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES
MOINES THIS 1ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER IN
THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND
FIVE.


THOMAS J. VILSACK

ATTEST:


CHESTER J. CULVER
SECRETARY OF STATE
by G. Klaassen, Deputy