City of Duluth



Office of the Mayor

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, The price of fossil fuels is rising while supply is diminishing, and their use continues to damage human health by pollution and planetary health through global warming; and
- WHEREAS, Scooters and motorcycles use less fuel, cause less pollution and have a reduced impact on infrastructure already deteriorating faster than our ability to repair it; and
- WHEREAS, Scooters and motorcycles require only a fraction of the space to park that other vehicles need, addressing another ongoing problem in our city; and
- WHEREAS, For these and other reasons, scooters and motorcycles offer a form of seasonal daily transportation that should be encouraged; and
- WHEREAS, July 19, 2006 has been designated "Ride To Work Day" to highlight the positive daily use of scooters and motorcycles;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Herb W. Bergson, Mayor of the City of Duluth, do officially proclaim July 19, 2006 as

RIDE TO WORK DAY

in the City of Duluth.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Duluth to be affixed in the City of Duluth this nineteenth day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand six.

MAYOR