

**[YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT NAME]  
PROCLAMATION**

**A PROCLAMATION PROCLAIMING MAY DAY, MAY 1, 2008 AS “KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25 DAY®” IN [YOUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT NAME].**

**WHEREAS, KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25® is a 501c3 non-profit organization which for the past ten years has worked with police departments, public works departments, schools, businesses and concerned citizens in communities across the country to decrease speeding in residential neighborhoods; and**

**WHEREAS, their mission is to educate people on the serious consequences of driving above the posted residential speed (typically 25mph or less), and encourage and remind everyone to drive at or below the legal limit; and**

**WHEREAS, KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25® heightens public awareness and reminds motorists not to speed, largely through neighborhood networking and the use of temporary yard signs posted by residents in their yards; and**

**WHEREAS, KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25® is encouraging communities to increase their efforts to inform the public about the speeding problem and the significant danger to children as spring and summer approaches; and**

**WHEREAS, the organization is asking [local government name] to join communities across the country in a significant national public awareness campaign kicking off on May Day, May 1, 2008; and**

**WHEREAS, they will assist our community in this effort by making available educational literature, press releases, print and radio ads, flyers, and concepts for hosting special events in neighborhoods, schools and businesses, etc.; and**

**WHEREAS, the goal of this awareness campaign is to save the lives of children and all pedestrians and cyclists in our community;**

**NOW THEREFORE, I, [appropriate elected official] of the [local government name] do hereby proclaim May 1, 2008 as KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25® DAY in [local government name].**

**[Local Government Name]**

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[signature of elected official]**

**In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed this [date].**

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[signature of local government notary]**