



TOWN OF BLUFFTON
KIDS TO PARKS DAY PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, May 16th, 2015 is the fifth 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; and

NOW THEREFORE, I, Lisa Sulka, Mayor of the Town of Bluffton, South Carolina do hereby proclaim to participate in Kids to Parks Day. I urge residents of Bluffton to make time May 16th, 2015 to take the children in their lives to a neighborhood, state or national park.

Dated this 12th day of May, 2015.

Lisa Sulka, Mayor