



Town of Zionsville

Proclamation

To All Whom These Presents May Come, Greetings:

WHEREAS, Sunday, December 11, 2016 marks the 200th anniversary of the day President James Madison signed the act admitting Indiana as the 19th state of the Union; and

WHEREAS, on the occasion of Indiana's 200th birthday, we honor the culmination of the Bicentennial year in Indiana – a year of celebrating history, nature and community and igniting the future for generations to follow; and

WHEREAS, we take this opportunity today to recognize the many community leaders and volunteers who played vital roles in creating the legacies of this year that we will long treasure and the stories that will be told for years to come; and

WHEREAS, one year ago we celebrated the promise of the Bicentennial year for residents and visitors, today we pause to remember the Hoosier values and pride we saw on display, and make a promise to continue in the spirit of the Bicentennial and create a brighter future for our children;

The Town of Zionsville, through its Mayor, proclaims December 11, 2016 as

Indiana Statehood Day and Bicentennial

and asks all Citizens to join in this observation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the official seal of office. Proclaimed at the Town of Zionsville, Indiana on this 11th day of December, 2016 on the 200th anniversary of Indiana Statehood and in the 240th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

**TOWN OF ZIONSVILLE, INDIANA
BY ITS MAYOR**

Timothy R. Haak, Mayor

ATTEST:

Edward J. Mitro, Deputy Mayor