Proclamation

Office of the Mayor City of Farmers Branch, Texas

- **WHEREAS,** today's society is finding more citizens involved in motorcycling on the roads of our country; and
- **WHEREAS,** motorcyclists are largely unprotected and much more likely to be injured or killed in a crash than other vehicle drivers; and
- **WHEREAS,** campaigns have helped inform rides and motorists alike on motorcycle safety issues to reduce motorcycle related risks, injuries, and most of all fatalities, through a comprehensive approach to motorcycle safety; and
- **WHEREAS,** it is the responsibility of all who put themselves behind the wheel, to become aware of motorcyclists, regarding them with the same respect as any other vehicle travelling the highways of this country. It is the responsibility of riders and motorists alike to obey all traffic laws and safety rules; and
- **WHEREAS,** urging all citizens of our community to become aware of the inherent danger involved in operating a motorcycle, and for riders and motorists alike to give each other the mutual respect they deserve.

Now, therefore I, Mayor Bob Phelps, by authority vested in me and on behalf of our City Council do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2015,

Motorcycle Safety and Awareness Month

Given at Farmers Branch, Texas, this 5th *day of May,* 2015.

Bob Phelps Mayor