

STATE OF INDIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

- WHEREAS,** historic vehicles rekindle memories for those that served our great country in peace and conflict, a common bond for all veterans of all eras; and
- WHEREAS,** many of these military vehicles represent the American motor vehicle industry's finest and most durable products, made here, in this same region, built to take the rigors and punishment of any environment in the world; and
- WHEREAS,** those that restore these vehicles do so with great attention to detail, respect, and devotion, often refurbishing parts no longer produced by resurrecting old skills and craftsmanship; and
- WHEREAS,** those that maintain these retired vehicles often display them in patriotic events, ceremonies, and parades that afford the Indiana public an opportunity to experience and appreciate them as well; and
- WHEREAS,** it is appropriate to recognize the historic military vehicle and those that restore, maintain, and display an essential component of Indiana's rich military heritage;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michael R. Pence, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim September 15-21, 2013 as

HISTORIC MILITARY VEHICLE PRESERVATION WEEK

in the State of Indiana, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

*In Testimony Whereof, I hereto
set my hand and cause to be affixed the
Great Seal of State. Done at the
City of Indianapolis, this 20th
day of August in the year of our
Lord 2013 and of the Independence
of the United States 237.*



BY THE GOVERNOR:

Michael R. Pence