STATE OF INDIANA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, historic military vehicles rekindle memories for those that served our great country in peace and conflict, a common bond for

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

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of Indiana's rich military heritage;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michael R. Pence, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby

proclaim September 12-18, 2016 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 24th

day of Bugust in the year of our

Lord 2016 and of the Independence

of the United States 241.



BY THE GOVERNOR: