A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY AS NATIONAL BIKE MONTH Resolution No. 127/2004-05

WHEREAS, bicycle riding is a viable and environmentally sound form of transportation and an excellent form of recreation; and

WHEREAS, millions of Americans will experience the joys of bicycling in the month of May through educational programs, commuting events, trail work days, helmet promotions, and charity rides; and

WHEREAS, Americans in record numbers are turning to bicycling for recreation, exercise, and transportation; and

WHEREAS, The year 2005 will mark the 49th consecutive year that the national non-profit bicycling safety and education association the League of American Bicyclists has declared the month of May to be National Bike Month; and

WHEREAS, bicycle clubs, schools, parks and recreation departments, police departments, hospitals, companies and civic groups throughout the nation will be promoting bicycling as a wholesome leisure activity as well as an environmentally-friendly alternative to the automobile during the month of May.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Carrboro Board of Aldermen that the Aldermen do hereby proclaim the month of May as

NATIONAL BIKE MONTH