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## ***PROCLAMATION***

***WHEREAS***, The National Trust for Historic preservation established May as Historic Preservation month in 1973 as a way to promote historic places for the purpose of instilling national and community pride, promoting heritage tourism, and showing the social and economic benefits of historic preservation; and

***WHEREAS***, Historic preservation can benefit Americans of all ages, walks of life and backgrounds in urban and rural communities across the nation; and

***WHEREAS***, It is important to celebrate the role of history in our lives and the contributions made by dedicated individuals in helping to preserve the tangible aspects of heritage that has shaped us as people; and

***WHEREAS***, The City of Appleton has thirteen (13) individual State and National registered historic building, six (6) State and National registered historic districts consisting of more than 160 building, plus Appleton Locks, 1, 2, 3 and 4, and five (5) local designated historic sites,

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT I, TIMOTHY M. HANNA***, Mayor of the City of Appleton, Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim May 2018, as

## ***National Historic Preservation Month***

in Appleton and encourage all residents to recognize and participate in this special observance of our heritage.

Signed and sealed this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2018.



**TIMOTHY M. HANNA**  
**MAYOR OF APPLETON**

