

# The County of Centre

## PROCLAMATION

NUMBER 21 OF 2022

**WHEREAS**, Centre County recognizes **National Trails Day®** as a time to celebrate the county's outstanding trails system and for citizens to strengthen their commitment to preserving the natural, scenic, and recreational qualities of Centre County trails; and

**WHEREAS**, for the past 20 years, the Nittany Mountain Biking Association, a volunteer-based organization, has worked with state and local partners to develop and maintain trails in Centre County, which are enjoyed by both mountain bikers, hikers, runners and walkers of all ages and abilities; and

**WHEREAS**, **National Trails Day®** is a chance to recognize Centre County as one of the foremost trail counties in Pennsylvania, and to promote the importance of our county's outdoor resources; and

**WHEREAS**, Centre County celebrates our trails as being part of our daily lives for fun, mental and physical health, and education; and

**WHEREAS**, Centre County's trails contribute to our communities and stimulate the economy by attracting tourists and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, citizens are encouraged to participate in any Trails Day activities in Centre County; and

**WHEREAS**, Centre County is proud to promote trails and trail development by supporting the Nittany Mountain Biking Association's goal of ensuring sustainable trails for all county residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Centre County Board of Commissioners does hereby proclaim **June 4, 2022** as **National Trails Day®** in Centre County, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

**ADOPTED** this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 2022.



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