



Proclamation

CITY OF KENT, OHIO

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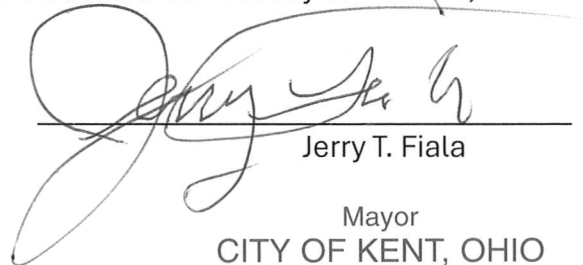
- WHEREAS,** the City of Kent recognizes the well-being of a community is directly linked to the health of our planet, and the Kent community has a long history of working to protect and enhance the environmental, health, and social well-being of those who live, work and play in the City; and
- WHEREAS,** cities across the nation are at the forefront of building a more resilient future by enacting initiatives related to renewable energy, energy efficiency, waste reduction, transportation, and urban green spaces that offer numerous benefits such as cost savings, improved public health, and enhanced quality of life for all residents; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Kent is committed to implementing policies and practices designed to preserve and protect the Kent community through a commitment to ongoing, responsible, environmental stewardship; and
- WHEREAS,** to honor this commitment, the City of Kent, with the help and input of the community, adopted a Climate Action Plan (CAP) in April 2023 which identified strategies aimed at reducing greenhouse gas emissions, a key contributor to climate change; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Kent, recognizes the importance of implementing these strategies and continuing to work together as a community to raise awareness of how individual and collective action can lead to a healthier, sustainable, and more resilient future,

Now, Therefore, I, Jerry T. Fiala, Mayor and President of the Kent City Council, in alignment with the Education and Outreach component of the CAP, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2025, as

"SUSTAINABILITY MONTH"

in the City of Kent, Ohio. All residents, businesses, and organizations are urged to join this celebration by participating in activities that promote sustainable practices. Working together can create a brighter, more sustainable future for the City of Kent and beyond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Kent to be affixed this 1st day of October, 2025.


Jerry T. Fiala
Mayor
CITY OF KENT, OHIO

