

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS:	athletic trainers have a long history of providing quality health care to individuals of all ages involved in physical activity; and
WHEREAS:	athletic trainers in the State of Indiana are licensed by the Professional Licensing Agency; and
WHEREAS:	Indiana licensed athletic trainers have a long history of providing quality health care for those engaged in physical activity based on specific tasks, knowledge and skills acquired through national accredited processes; and
WHEREAS:	Indiana licensed athletic trainers provide prevention of injury and illness, recognition, evaluation and immediate care, rehabilitation, health care administration, education and guidance; and
WHEREAS:	of more than 39,000 certified athletic trainers, nearly 1,450 are licensed in Indiana and are employed in multiple settings including: professional sports, colleges and universities, high schools, middle schools, performing arts, and clinical, industrial, corporate, fitness and research facilities; and
WHEREAS:	leading organizations concerned with health care have joined together in a common desire to raise public awareness of the athletic training profession and to emphasize the importance of quality health care for those engaged in physical activity; and
WHEREAS:	such an effort will improve health care for Hoosiers engaged in physical activity and promote licensed athletic trainers as health professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE: I, Duke A Bennett, Mayor of the City of Terre Haute, do hereby proclaim March, 2018 as

National Athletic Training Month

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Terre Haute to be affixed this 28th day of February, 2018.

Duke A Bennett, Mayor

