

“Slow Down. Stay Alert. Protect Our Children.”

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the safety and wellbeing of children and pedestrians throughout the City of Delphi is of the utmost importance; and

WHEREAS, children throughout our community deserve the ability to safely walk, ride bicycles, play outdoors, and travel through neighborhoods without unnecessary danger caused by speeding or reckless driving; and

WHEREAS, pedestrian safety is a shared responsibility requiring cooperation from motorists, residents, law enforcement, and the community as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the City of Delphi recognizes the growing need for motorists to slow down, remain attentive, and exercise caution in residential neighborhoods, school zones, parks, intersections, and pedestrian-heavy areas; and

WHEREAS, distracted driving, speeding, and disregard for pedestrian right-of-way create unacceptable risks to children and families within our community; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Kamron Yates has declared child and pedestrian safety to be a priority initiative for the City of Delphi; and

WHEREAS, the Delphi Police Department will increase enforcement efforts involving speeding, reckless driving, and pedestrian safety violations; and

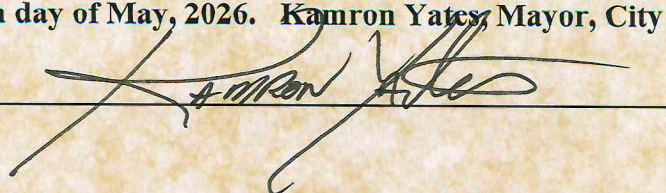
WHEREAS, officers will be focusing on traffic safety in areas where children are present, reinforcing the City’s commitment to protecting young pedestrians, families, and all members of the community through proactive traffic awareness and public safety efforts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Delphi affirms that children and pedestrians have the right to feel safe within their neighborhoods and public spaces;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kamron Yates, Mayor of the City of Delphi, Indiana, do hereby proclaim the establishment of the **City of Delphi, Child Safety Initiative**, calling upon all motorists and citizens to slow down, remain alert, obey all traffic laws, and work together to protect the children and pedestrians of our community. The City of Delphi will continue working alongside the Delphi Police Department and the public to promote awareness, accountability, and safer streets for all residents.

Issued this 18th day of May, 2026. Kamron Yates, Mayor, City of Delphi

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Re: Mayor Yates, City of Delphi, Child Safety Initiative

Date: May 18, 2026

“The safety of our children and pedestrians is, and will remain, a top priority for the City of Delphi. As warmer weather approaches and more children are outside playing, riding bicycles, walking to parks, and enjoying neighborhoods throughout our community, I am launching the **City of Delphi, Child Safety Initiative.**”

“This initiative serves as a direct call for the traveling public to slow down, remain alert, and exercise extreme caution while traveling through residential neighborhoods, school zones, parks, and pedestrian-heavy areas. Far too often, speeding and distracted driving place children and pedestrians at unnecessary risk. Every child and pedestrian has the right to feel safe within our community.”

“As City of Delphi Mayor, I am asking for the public’s assistance and cooperation in making this initiative successful. Public safety is not accomplished by government alone — it requires a collective community effort. Citizens are encouraged to remain vigilant, obey traffic laws, report dangerous driving behaviors, and help create a culture where pedestrian and child safety is respected and prioritized.”

“City of Delphi Patrol Officers have been asked to place heightened emphasis on traffic safety in areas where children are present, reinforcing the City’s commitment to protecting young pedestrians, families, and all members of the community through proactive traffic awareness and public safety efforts.”

“The City of Delphi will NOT compromise when it comes to the safety of children and pedestrians. Slowing down by a few seconds could save a life. Mayor Yates and the City of Delphi remain committed to ensuring our streets, neighborhoods, and public spaces are safe for all residents — especially our children.”

