

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1691

## 95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES KRAUS (Sponsor), JONES (63), LAMPE,  
BROWN (50) AND HOLSMAN (Co-sponsors).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To amend chapter 9, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to bicycling state holidays.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 9, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto two new sections, to be  
2 known as sections 9.164 and 9.165, to read as follows:

**9.164. 1. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart the month  
2 of October as "Walk & Bike to School Month" and the first Wednesday of October as  
3 "Walk & Bike to School Day" in Missouri to improve the safety of students walking and  
4 bicycling to school, encourage more children to safely walk and bicycle to school, and  
5 promote the benefits of walking and cycling to school, including physical activity and  
6 better student health and physical fitness, improved academics, reduced congestion and  
7 pollution, and more livable communities.**

**9.165. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart the month  
2 of May as "Missouri Bicycle Month", the third Friday of May as "Bike to Work Day", and  
3 the week of bike to work day as "Bike to Work Week" in Missouri to promote bicycling  
4 as a viable and environmentally sound form of transportation and a source of healthful  
5 recreation, promote bicycle safety and encourage all users to safely share the road, promote  
6 Missouri as a great destination for bicycle tourism, and promote the benefits of bicycling  
7 for health, physical fitness, family togetherness, economic development, and creating a  
8 vibrant, healthy, and livable state.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.