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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, problems of preserving the environment in which we live are becoming increasingly serious, and

WHEREAS, we are alerted now to the increasing dangers to life from air, water, and noise pollution and from over population, and

WHEREAS, the overall quality of our environment is deteriorating and the existing natural resources including water, trees, and air are being destroyed or made unuseable at a dangerously increased rate, and

WHEREAS, we recognize that the earth cannot continue to support life as we know it without immediate and continuing efforts by all of us to preserve our resources and to strive for ecological balance,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Urbana, Illinois,

That the week of April 19-26 be designated and proclaimed Environmental Crisis Week.

That we, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Urbana recognize and support the efforts of concerned students at the University of Illinois toward a Conference on Environmental Problems, April 19-26, 1970.

And further, that we announce our stated intention of continuing to work toward the solution of environmental problems in our community and elsewhere, and to support the efforts of others in solving these problems.