PROCLAMATION

MAY 6, 2018 ACCESS BROWN COUNTY DAY NASHVILLE, INDIANA

WHEREAS, Access Brown County started in 2004 with "The Community Wide Needs Assessment", which identified and verified the need for door to door transportation in Brown County. A Brown County Transit Committee was established in 2006 to secure funds for this start-up and in 2009 the Van began to roll; and,

WHEREAS, usage over the past four years has increased from 2,892 to 10,770 annual riders and all senior citizens ride free, which last year totaled 4,203 riders; and,

WHEREAS, funding for this program has always been difficult and presently Access Brown County is funded with money from the County, donations, Thrive Alliance, passenger fares and a match from INDOT; and,

WHEREAS, on May 6, 2018, Access Brown County hopes to raise over \$10,000 toward the INDOT match grant which means with this match it would be \$20,000 and will help to sustain this important service to our community.

THEREFORE, we the Access Brown County Board along with the Town Council of Nashville, Indiana proclaim Access Brown County Day in Nashville, Indiana as May 6, 2018.

Signed by the Nashville Town Council this 15th day of March 2018. abstain Council Member Charles B. King abstain nay Council Member Jane Gore abstain yea nav Council Member Alisha Gredy nay abstain abstain nay Council Member Dave Rudd

ATTEST:

Busda L. James

Clerk-Treasurer, Brenda K. Young