



ROCK ISLAND  
ILLINOIS

Mayor Dennis E. Pauley

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the day of September 19 has been designated as Preventing Lost Potential Day by the HAVlife™ Foundation; and
- WHEREAS, the Preventing Lost Potential Day is to be an annual day of celebration and provides a renewed focus on the importance of and dedication to educate, encourage, protect and develop our community's youth; and
- WHEREAS, the HAVlife™ Foundation serves as an advocate for all schools, nonprofit organizations, sports clubs, civic organizations, government programs and religious institutions that place emphasis on valuing and caring for youth, and
- WHEREAS, this day initiates an ongoing movement to make the Quad Cities community the best place in the nation for youth;
- WHEREAS, the City of Rock Island recognizes that this effort is successful because of the partnerships the HAVlife™ Foundation has formed with residents, businesses and community organizations.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Dennis E. Pauley, Mayor of the City of Rock Island, Illinois designate September 19, 2016 as

**Preventing Lost Potential Day 2016**

in support of this valuable dedication and demonstration of commitment to our youth in the Quad Cities Community.

*September 16, 2016*

Date



Mayor