



ROCK ISLAND
ILLINOIS

Mayor Dennis E. Pauley

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Rock Island Chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America received their charter in the Society on June 7, 1941; and

WHEREAS, the Rock Island Chapter has continuously operated in Rock Island area under its original charter using the chorus names of Rock Island Rockets, Bend of the River Chorus, and most recently Harminators; and

WHEREAS, the Rock Island Chapter has and continues to contribute to the greater good of the community by singing four-part harmony, many times for an altruistic purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Rock Island Chapter will host a 75th anniversary celebration at the Hauberg Civic Center at 6:30 PM on June 7, 2016, a location the chorus had previously used for weekly rehearsals for many years.

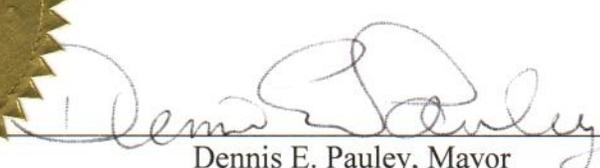
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dennis E. Pauley, Mayor of the City of Rock Island, proclaim Tuesday, June 7th, 2016 as

Barbershop Harmony Day

in the City of Rock Island.



May 18, 2016
Date


Dennis E. Pauley, Mayor