WHEREAS: the week of November 16-22, 2014, has been designated by the National Geographic Society as Geography Awareness Week; and

WHEREAS, this city, Clinton County, the State of Ohio and the entire nation are becoming increasingly interconnected and interdependent, but too many students seem to lack a basic understanding of geography and mapping; and

WHEREAS, it is vital to support Geographic Information Systems and their mission of promoting geographic education in the schools and communities; and

WHEREAS, our local Geographic Information Services are vital in the process of mapping city utilities and infrastructure and for planning for the future of this community, including economic development.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RANDY RILEY, Mayor of the City of Wilmington, Ohio, do hereby proclaim the week of November 16-22 to be Geography Information Services Week throughout Wilmington, Ohio and encourage all citizens to support local and regional mapping by using the Clinton County GIS website www.clintoncountyohgis.org.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THIS SEAL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, OHIO, TO BE AFFIXED THIS 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND FOURTEEN.

RANDY RILEY, MAYOR
CITY OF WILMINGTON, OHIO