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# Johnny Horizon '76 Clean Up America Month, 1974

By the President of the United States of America

### A Proclamation

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred seventy-four and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred ninety-ninth.

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Washington

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Room 418, Old Executive Office Bldg.

JH Staff FROM

"CLEAN UP AMERICA MONTH" Proclamation SUBJECT:

Mailing List

In accordance with your request of September 23, we are attaching a list of 45 names and addresses to whom we wish the Johnny Horizon "Clean Up America Month" Presidential Proclamation mailed.

Thanks for your cooperation.

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September 19, 1974

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The President has signed a Proclamation entitled:

''Johnny Horizon '76 Clean Up America Month, 1974''

Robert D. Linder

