

# STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

## PROCLAMATION

### SURVEYORS WEEK MARCH 17-23, 2024

WHEREAS, surveyors have long played an important role in the development of our state and nation; and

WHEREAS, since the earliest days of civilization, people have depended on surveyors to place their land boundaries on the face of the Earth and provide the framework for the building of infrastructure for development; and

WHEREAS, surveying is the art of using science and technology to accurately determine the position of points and the distances between them, and is vitally important in the continued development of North Dakota and the United States; and

WHEREAS, professional surveyors provide important services through the use of legal principles, procedures, sophisticated surveying equipment and techniques, including satellite-borne remote sensing devices and automated positioning, measuring, recording and plotting equipment; and

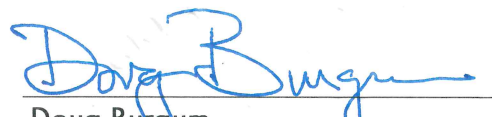
WHEREAS, surveying is important to the design and construction of buildings, transportation systems, navigation, communications, energy production and distribution and to the economy of North Dakota; and

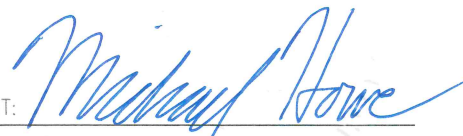
WHEREAS, the surveying profession has expanded to include hydrographic surveys; engineering surveys utilized in the study, selection, and design for engineering construction; geodetic surveys to determine precise global positioning for activities as aircraft and agricultural navigation; and cartographic surveys used for mapping and charting; and

WHEREAS, North Dakotans are encouraged to recognize professional surveyors and the important work they do for our communities and state, and to reflect on the historical contributions of surveying and the new technologies that are modernizing the honored profession.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim  
March 17-23, 2024, SURVEYORS WEEK in the State of North Dakota.



  
Doug Burgum  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:   
Michael Howe  
SECRETARY OF STATE