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North Dakota

Office of the Governor

Doug Burgum
Governor

PROCLAMATION
CAREERS IN ENERGY WEEK
OCTOBER 15-19, 2018

WHEREAS, energy serves as the bedrock of our way of life, available at the flip of a switch or the push of a button to assist with the work of North Dakotans; and

WHEREAS, energy weaves in and out of every life – invisible to most but essential to all; and

WHEREAS, energy generates commerce and fuels economic growth, all while supplying North Dakotans with the simple things in life: heating, cooling, cooking and lighting; and


WHEREAS, energy supports modern society's complex systems such as patient care, air traffic control, running a business and even a state. Energy also makes possible recreation: lights at the baseball field, air conditioning at the theater and rides at the state fair; and

WHEREAS, energy provides careers to tens of thousands of residents who serve in every community, ranging from lineworker to engineer, construction specialist to accountant, chemist to environmentalist, maintenance laborer to executive – all valued and all essential; and

WHEREAS, to promote continuity and meet the challenges of the growing economy, new workers are needed to bridge into the future by replacing retiring workers and maintaining a skilled workforce; and

WHEREAS, North Dakotans are urged to become familiar with the services and benefits offered by the career and technical education programs in their community and to support and participate in these programs to enhance their individual work skills and productivity.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim October 15-19, 2018, **CAREERS IN ENERGY WEEK** in the State of North Dakota.



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ATTEST:



Alvin A. Jaeger
Secretary of State