

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PROCLAMATION

DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ROAD TRAFFIC VICTIMS NOVEMBER 17, 2023

WHEREAS, motor vehicle crashes are one of the leading causes of injury-related death in North Dakota; however, motor vehicle crashes are largely preventable; and

WHEREAS, motor vehicle crash fatalities in North Dakota can be reduced to zero if every driver and vehicle occupant takes personal responsibility while traveling on North Dakota roads; and

WHEREAS, personal responsibility includes always wearing a seat belt, transporting children in child passenger safety seats appropriate for age, height and weight, obeying posted speed limits and always driving sober and distraction-free; and

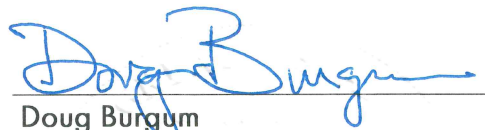
WHEREAS, zero fatalities is the only acceptable number when it comes to your life, or the lives of your family and friends; and


WHEREAS, events such as World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims in North Dakota raise awareness of the impact that road traffic violence has on survivors, as well as on the friends and family of those lives lost; and

WHEREAS, Vision Zero aims for zero fatalities and serious injuries on North Dakota roads.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim November 17, 2023, DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ROAD TRAFFIC VICTIMS in the State of North Dakota.




Doug Burgum
GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 
Michael Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE