STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

DRINKING WATER WEEK MAY 5-11, 2024

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2024 is the 50th anniversary of the Safe Drinking Water Act; and

WHEREAS, water is our most valuable natural resource; and

WHEREAS, drinking water serves a vital role in daily life, serving an essential purpose to health, hydration and hygiene needs for the quality of life North Dakota citizens enjoy; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota is grateful for the hard work performed by the entire water sector, such as designing capital projects, operators ensuring the safety and quality of drinking water or a member of a pipe crew maintaining the infrastructure communities rely on to transport high-quality drinking water from its source to consumers' taps; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota citizens are all stewards of the water infrastructure upon which current and future generations depend; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota citizens are called upon to help protect our source waters from pollution, practice water conservation and get involved with their water by familiarizing themselves with it.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim May 5-11, 2024, DRINKING WATER WEEK in the State of North Dakota.



Doug Burgum GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Michael Howe SECRETARY OF STATE