

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PROCLAMATION

FAIR HOUSING MONTH APRIL 2020

WHEREAS, this April marks the 52nd anniversary of the signing of the federal Fair Housing Act by President Lyndon B. Johnson; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota law has prohibited discrimination in housing since 1983, and North Dakota passed the 1999 Housing Discrimination Act authorizing the Department of Labor and Human Rights to investigate complaints alleging discriminatory housing practices; and

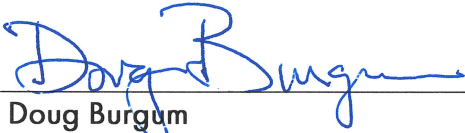
WHEREAS, equal opportunity for all regardless of background is a fundamental goal of our state law; and

WHEREAS, access to housing of an individual's choice contributes significantly to quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the State of North Dakota continues to work to eliminate discrimination in housing and to provide citizens with the opportunity to live in safe and affordable housing.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim
April 2020, FAIR HOUSING MONTH in the State of North Dakota.




Doug Burgum
GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 
Alvin A. Jaeger
SECRETARY OF STATE