

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK MAY 3-9, 2020

WHEREAS, Americans are served every day by public servants at the federal, state, county and city levels, and these often unsung heroes do the work that keeps our communities working; their tireless efforts are especially critical today during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, public employees take not only jobs, but solemn oaths; and

WHEREAS, many public servants, including military personnel, police officers, firefighters, border patrol officers, embassy employees, aid workers, health care professionals, intelligence officers and others, risk their lives each day in service to the Constitution and people of the United States and around the world; and

WHEREAS, public servants include teachers, doctors, scientists, train conductors, astronauts, nurses, safety inspectors, laborers, computer technicians, social workers and countless individuals in many other occupations, who day in and day out continue to fulfill their duties during a public health crisis — even at personal risk — to provide the diverse services demanded by the American people of their government with efficiency and integrity; and

WHEREAS, without these public servants at every level, continuity would be impossible in a democracy that regularly changes its leaders and elected officials; and

WHEREAS, all North Dakotans are encouraged to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of public servants at all levels – federal, state, county and city.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim May 3-9, 2020, PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK in the State of North Dakota.



Doug Burgum GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alvin A. Jaeger SECRETARY OF STATE