

# STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

## PROCLAMATION

### RURAL LEADERSHIP NORTH DAKOTA DAY JANUARY 12, 2023

WHEREAS, Rural Leadership North Dakota is North Dakota's premier leadership development program implemented through NDSU Extension; and

WHEREAS, Rural Leadership North Dakota has prepared and developed effective leaders to strengthen rural North Dakota for more than a decade; and

WHEREAS, the intensive 18-month course has expanded the vision and ability of more than 100 participants to invest their time and talents in implementing community-based projects that benefit local citizens and North Dakotans statewide; and

WHEREAS, Rural Leadership North Dakota has generated significant support from business and industry, organizations and individuals who understand that people are the greatest resource North Dakota has to strengthen communities and organizations; and

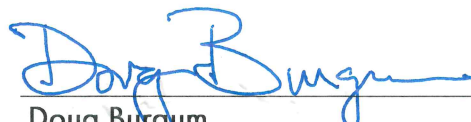
WHEREAS, effective leaders in rural North Dakota help create healthy, vibrant communities that contribute to the strength of the state; and

WHEREAS, Rural Leadership North Dakota provides North Dakotans with critical professional development training and succession planning skills to ensure communities remain strong for generations; and

WHEREAS, Rural Leadership North Dakota continues to develop skilled and visionary leaders for North Dakota.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim January 12, 2023, RURAL LEADERSHIP NORTH DAKOTA DAY in the State of North Dakota.



  
Doug Burgum  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:   
Michael Howe  
SECRETARY OF STATE