

STATE OF MONTANA



Governor's Proclamation



WHEREAS, cattle production is the largest sector of Montana's number one industry of agriculture; and

WHEREAS, Montana is a major beef producing state, with more than two million head of cattle; and

WHEREAS, cattle and calves generate more than \$1 billion each year in agricultural cash receipts for Montana; and

WHEREAS, beef is a naturally nutrient-rich food that provides protein, iron, zinc, and B-vitamins; and

WHEREAS, cattle ranchers are stewards of the land, committed to raising cattle in a safe, humane, and environmentally sustainable way by using the latest technology and resources; and

WHEREAS, cattle ranchers support our economy, add vibrancy to our communities, and help protect our Montana way of life;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Gianforte, Governor of the State of Montana, do hereby proclaim May 2025

BEEF MONTH

in Montana to honor and recognize Montana's cattle ranching families who feed our state, nation, and world.

GREG GIANFORTE
Governor