STATE OF MONTANA

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, *4-H is America's largest youth development organization, having supported millions of youth for over 120 years; and*

WHEREAS, *this year's National 4-H Week theme, "Beyond Ready," reminds us that 4-H is building a ready generation in a world of change and is equipping young people with skills for the future; and*

WHEREAS, *4-H connects young people and adults to their communities, preparing them for work and life through hands-on learning; and*

WHEREAS, *4-H is a community of more than 100 public universities across the nation that provide young people learning opportunities in areas including health, science, and agriculture; and*

WHEREAS, *through the Montana State University Extension, 4-H serves over 14,000 Montana youth annually by building confident, independent, and compassionate leaders; and*

WHEREAS, *Montana 4-H has over 200 different projects with research-based curriculum for youth to choose from;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, *Greg Gianforte, Governor of the State of Montana, do hereby proclaim October 5-11, 2025*

NATIONAL 4-H WEEK

in Montana to recognize 4-H for the important role it plays in empowering youth with the skills they need to lead for a lifetime.

GREG GIANFORTE
Governor