

STATE OF NEBRASKA



Proclamation

WHEREAS,

Nebraska's farmers and agricultural manufacturers play an integral role in feeding people across the state and around the world; and

WHEREAS,

Grain production, handling, and transportation is a significant part of the agriculture industry in Nebraska; and

WHEREAS,

It takes only seconds to fall, be caught between, struck by, or completely engulfed during the processing of grain; and

WHEREAS,

Many rescue teams need continuous support for the specialized rescue equipment and educational training necessary for a safe and successful grain bin rescue; and

WHEREAS,

Each death has a devastating impact on the victim's family, friends, and coworkers; and

WHEREAS,

These hazards are preventable through commitment and the establishment of best practices; and

WHEREAS,

The State of Nebraska encourages all employers who have grain operations to develop safety and health programs, contribute to this safety initiative, and help make the state of Nebraska a safer and healthier place to work.

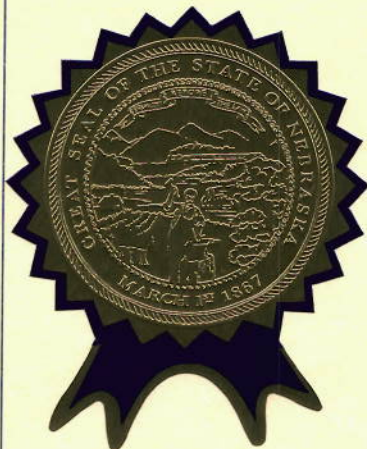
NOW, THEREFORE,

I, Pete Ricketts, Governor of the State of Nebraska, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the week of March 29 – April 2, 2021 as

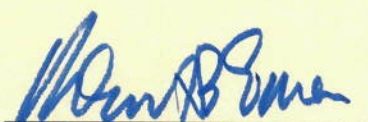
STAND-UP FOR GRAIN SAFETY WEEK


in Nebraska, and I do hereby encourage all citizens of Nebraska to take due notice of the observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and cause the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska to be affixed this Eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Twenty-one.



Attest:


Secretary of State


Governor