

Governor's Proclamation



WHEREAS, Wyoming is committed to recognizing importance of the safety and economic value of the homes, buildings and infrastructure that serve citizens in everyday life and in times of natural disaster; and

WHEREAS, confidence in the structural integrity of buildings is achieved through the vigilance of building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, design professionals, laborers and others in the construction industry. These people work year-round to ensure safe construction; and

WHEREAS, the International Codes® are the most widely adopted building safety and fire prevention codes in the nation. These codes include safeguards to protect the public from natural disasters such as hurricanes, snowstorms, tornadoes, wildland fires, floods and earthquakes; and

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month reminds the public about the critical role of code officials who work to assure homes, buildings and infrastructure are safe; and

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month is sponsored by the International Code Council; and

WHEREAS, Building Safety Month raises awareness of the importance of safe and resilient construction; fire prevention; disaster mitigation, and new technologies in construction and recognizes that lives have been saved as a result of safety codes implemented by local and state agencies.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MATTHEW H. MEAD, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby proclaim May, 2017 as

BUILDING SAFETY MONTH

in Wyoming, with the theme "Code Officials – Partners in Community Safety and Economic Growth."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 11 day of April, 2017.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Matthew H. Mead", written over a horizontal line.

Matthew H. Mead
Governor