

STATE OF MONTANA



Governor's Proclamation



WHEREAS, Blue Star Families seeks to empower military families by connecting them with their neighbors to create vibrant communities of mutual support; and

WHEREAS, every year, approximately 600,000 military connected families move to new communities, most of which are not onto military installations; and

WHEREAS, a strong and responsive U.S. military ensures national and international security; and

WHEREAS, service members need to know their families have support to focus on these missions; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Gianforte, Governor of the State of Montana, do hereby proclaim September 21-29, 2024

BLUE STAR WELCOME WEEK

in Montana in order to empower military families by connecting them with their neighbors.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Greg Gianforte". The signature is stylized and includes a decorative flourish above it.

GREG GIANFORTE
Governor