

STATE OF OKLAHOMA



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Proclamation

Whereas, homeownership strengthens families, stabilizes communities and promotes personal well-being. It also encourages savings and investments and promotes economic and civic responsibility; and

Whereas, Oklahoma Housing Finance Agency (OHFA) advocates affordable, conscientious homeownership through its OHFA Dream program, which provides four and a half percent down payment grants to homebuyers in all of our seventy-seven counties; and

Whereas, OHFA only works with reputable lenders and maintains foreclosure rates far below the national average; and

Whereas, OHFA's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Homeownership Program has successfully moved more than two hundred and eighty families from rental assistance to homeownership, leading to financial stability and independence; and

Whereas, giving Oklahomans the tools they need to buy a home is good for the homebuyer, the community, the state, and the nation;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim June 2014 as

"Homeownership Month"

in the state of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 16th day of May, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fourteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and sixth year.

Chi Boyce

Mary Fallin



ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

GOVERNOR

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