

STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, the story of Oklahoma’s distant past is recorded in tens of thousands of prehistoric and historic archeological sites found from Cimarron to McCurtain and Ottawa to Greer counties; and

Whereas, the Oklahoma Anthropological Society; the Oklahoma Archeological Survey; the Oklahoma Historical Society, State Historic Preservation Office; and the University of Oklahoma Anthropology Department believe that increased public awareness about the significance of these special places and the threats to them will improve their protection; and

Whereas, these agencies and organizations are partnering with cultural resource management firms, academic institutions, museums, and archeologists representing federal, tribal, and state agencies to share information regarding preservation projects and archeological research through a coordinated program featuring demonstrations of cultural heritage performances, exhibits, and lectures throughout the state;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim October 2015, as

“Archeology Month”

in the state of Oklahoma and call on our citizens to assist in the protection of the special places that teach about our state’s unique past.

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 4th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and seventh year.

ATTEST:

Chris Morris
Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

Mary Fallin
GOVERNOR

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