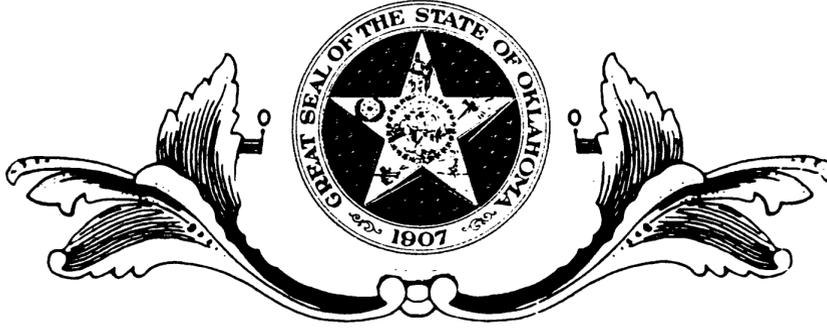


STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, signed into law on July 26, 1990, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) prohibits discrimination and protects the civil rights of people with disabilities; and

Whereas, 2015 marks the 25th anniversary of the ADA, which guarantees equal access for individuals with disabilities to employment, communications and education, as well as transportation, public accommodations, and government services; and

Whereas, we are united in Oklahoma by our belief in preserving the dignity of every person and our commitment to equal opportunity for all; and

Whereas, we celebrate the progress and improvements achieved by affirming the principles of equality and inclusion and dedicating our efforts to reach the full promise of the ADA;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim July 26, 2015, as

“Americans with Disabilities Act Day”

in the State of Oklahoma and encourage citizens to participate in and promote events that celebrate the rights, abilities, and contributions of Oklahomans with disabilities and continue efforts to make Oklahoma inclusive for everyone; and

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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 13th day of July, 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