

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, keeping the homes, neighborhoods, schools, workplaces and communities of Wyoming safe is important to all Wyoming citizens; and

WHEREAS, crime in communities creates fear and destroys trust and faith in others, threatening our lives, liberty and general welfare; and

WHEREAS, individuals have the responsibility to work with law enforcement to keep all Wyoming citizens safe from crime; and

WHEREAS, effective crime prevention programs are partnerships between law enforcement, civic groups, schools, faith communities, businesses and individuals who work together to achieve public safety; and

WHEREAS, Neighborhood Watch has brought countless communities together, inspiring members, bridging divides and strengthening bonds as neighbors help each other; and

WHEREAS, Neighborhood Watch, along with Crime Watch, Business Watch and other programs, makes significant contributions to public safety with over 25,000 programs, 7,000 law enforcement agencies and 2.5 million participants throughout the United States.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MATTHEW H. MEAD, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby proclaim June 25, 2012 as

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH DAY

in Wyoming, and recognize the importance of Neighborhood Watch and its role in crime prevention initiatives and strongly encourage participation in these groups.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 21 day of June, 2012.




Matthew H. Mead
Governor