



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, Walk to School Day can be fun. Walking and bicycling can bring a sense of joy and independence; and

WHEREAS, Walk to School Day can promote a healthier lifestyle and healthy daily habits. The trip to school is a chance for children (and adults) to get the physical activity they need; and

WHEREAS, Walk to School Day can support cleaner environments. Replacing car rides to school with walking or bicycling can reduce congestion and air-polluting emissions; and

WHEREAS, Walk to School Day can promote safety. Building sidewalks, providing education programs and adding traffic calming measures are some of the ways to improve safety. Encouraging walking and bicycling to school can help build support for infrastructure improvements in the broader community; and

WHEREAS, Walk to School Day can benefit the community. Reducing traffic congestion, spreading a sense of community, and strengthening neighborhood connections that benefit neighborhoods across the Silver State;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim October 8, 2014, as

INTERNATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL DAY



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 1st day of October, 2014.

By the Governor

Governor

Brian Sandoval
Chris Miller

Secretary of State

By _____

Deputy