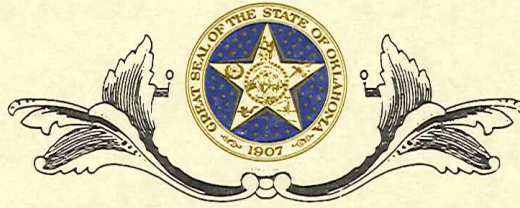


# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

## Proclamation

Whereas, Oklahomans recognize the valuable role water-related recreation plays in ensuring physical and mental health, and enhancing our quality of life; and

Whereas, comprehensive water safety education and planning are crucial to preventing drownings and other water-related accidents; and

Whereas, Oklahoma's recreational water industry and other groups involved in the National Water Safety Month Coalition make significant contributions to developing safe swimming facilities, home pools and spas, and aquatic programs; and

Whereas, Water Safety Month in Oklahoma encourages the ongoing efforts to educate the public on water-related safety issues; and

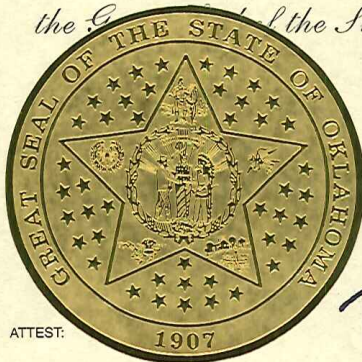
Whereas, Oklahomans of all ages are urged to learn water safety rules before enjoying private pools, public swimming facilities or water parks;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim May 2017 as

### "Water Safety Month"

in the state of Oklahoma.

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



ATTEST:

Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and sixteen and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and ninth year.

*Dave Jopy*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR