



The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

*Executive Department
State of Idaho*

*State Capital
Boise*

WHEREAS, the citizens of Idaho recognize the vital role swimming and aquatic-related activities play in having good physical and mental health and enhancing the quality of life for all people; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Idaho understand the essential role that water safety education plays in preventing drownings and recreational water-related injuries; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Idaho are aware of the contributions made by the recreational water industry, as represented by the organizations involved in the National Water Safety Month Coalition in developing safe swimming facilities, aquatic programs, home pools and spas, and related activities providing healthy places to recreate, learn, grow, and build self-esteem, confidence, and sense of self-worth which contributes to the quality of life in our community; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Idaho recognize the ongoing efforts and commitment to educate the public on pool and spa safety issues and initiatives by the pool, spa, waterpark, recreation and parks industries; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Idaho understand the importance of communicating water safety rules and programs to families and individuals of all ages, whether owners of private pools, users of public swimming facilities, or visitors to waterparks.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRAD LITTLE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim May 2025 to be

NATIONAL WATER SAFETY MONTH

in Idaho, and I encourage Idaho citizens to recognize this special observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 1st day of May, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-five.

A blue ink signature of Brad Little, written in a cursive style.

BRAD LITTLE
GOVERNOR

A blue ink signature of Phil McGrane, written in a cursive style.

PHIL MCGRANE
SECRETARY OF STATE