

# STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

## PROCLAMATION

### PROBLEM GAMBLING AWARENESS MONTH MARCH 2025

WHEREAS, problem gambling is a public health issue affecting millions of Americans of all ages, races and ethnic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, problem gambling has a significant societal and economic cost for individuals, families, businesses and communities; and

WHEREAS, problem gambling is treatable, and treatment is effective in minimizing this harm to both individuals and society as a whole; and

WHEREAS, numerous individuals, professionals and organizations have dedicated their efforts to the education of the public about problem gambling and the availability and effectiveness of treatment; and

WHEREAS, the National Council on Problem Gambling and the North Dakota Department of Health and Human Services invite all residents of North Dakota to be aware of the signs of problem gambling and encourage themselves or those that they know to seek assistance.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim  
March 2025, **PROBLEM GAMBLING AWARENESS MONTH** in the State of North Dakota.



  
Kelly Armstrong  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:   
Michael Howe  
SECRETARY OF STATE