  
**State of Iowa**  
**Executive Department**

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

**PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS:** Injuries are the leading cause of death and disability to U.S. children 1- to 18-years-old; and

**WHEREAS:** Unintentional injuries are the leading cause of death for children in Iowa; and

**WHEREAS:** While the number of injuries and deaths vary across the state, every county in Iowa is impacted by these events; and

**WHEREAS:** Many of these injuries and deaths are preventable with the use of injury prevention education and equipment and the implementation of strong legislation; and

**WHEREAS:** Hospitals, state agencies, community organizations, and other partners are crucial in promoting safe practices; and

**WHEREAS:** The State of Iowa is committed to promoting efforts in reducing injuries among children:

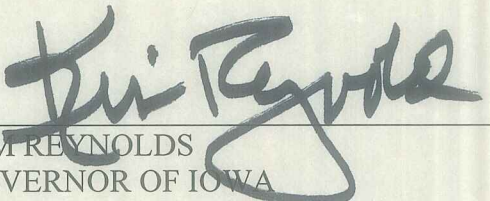
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kim Reynolds, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim**  
November 18, 2020, as

**NATIONAL INJURY PREVENTION DAY**

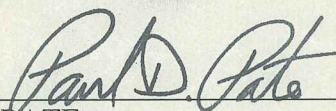
in Iowa.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO  
SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED THE GREAT  
SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO BE AFFIXED.  
DONE AT DES MOINES THIS 18<sup>th</sup> DAY OF  
NOVEMBER IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO  
THOUSAND TWENTY.



  
KIM REYNOLDS  
GOVERNOR OF IOWA

ATTEST:

  
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PAUL PATE  
SECRETARY OF STATE