

STATE OF OREGON
PROCLAMATION
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

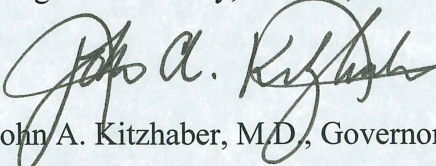
- WHEREAS:** The Oregon School Activities Association (OSAA) and the Oregon Athletic Officials Association (OAOA) will co-host “Officiate Oregon Day” to be held in conjunction with the National Association of Sports Officials (NASO) 30th Annual Summit in Portland, Oregon on Saturday, July 28, 2012.
- WHEREAS:** “Officiate Oregon Day” will be the largest gathering of sports officials to date in the Pacific Northwest; and
- WHEREAS:** OAOA is dedicated to advancing high school sports officiating in Oregon through its mission of “One Rule, One Mechanic, One Interpretation”; and
- WHEREAS:** OSAA and OAOA provide services and support to Oregon’s athletic officials who are dedicated, well-trained and motivated to manage and facilitate athletic contests in a fair and impartial manner; and
- WHEREAS:** “Officiate Oregon Day” will challenge all Oregon high school officials to “Take the Next Step” to improve as an official by learning current thoughts and practices from nationally recognized leaders in the sports officiating profession.

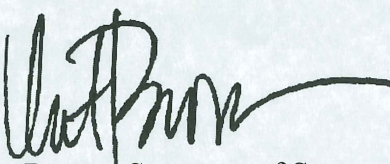
NOW,
THEREFORE: I, John A. Kitzhaber, M.D., Governor of the State of Oregon, hereby proclaim **July 28, 2012** to be

OFFICIATE OREGON DAY

in Oregon and encourage all Oregonians to join in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the Great Seal of the State of Oregon to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Salem in the State of Oregon on this day, June 26, 2012.


John A. Kitzhaber, M.D., Governor


Kate Brown, Secretary of State

