

EXECUTIVE PROCLAMATION
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

WHEREAS, Cosmopolitan International has been serving communities throughout the United States since 1918; and

WHEREAS, Cosmopolitan Clubs in Sioux Falls and Rapid City have been serving their respective communities through volunteer and charitable donations since 1925; and

WHEREAS, Cosmopolitan Club International adopted diabetes as the primary focus of the service club in 1977; and

WHEREAS, November is Diabetes Awareness Month, and November 14 is World Diabetes Day; and

WHEREAS, more than 34 million Americans are diabetic, and more than 88 million more are pre-diabetic; and

WHEREAS, one of every seven dollars spent on healthcare is for diabetes related expenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, KRISTI NOEM, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim November 7, 2020, as

COSMOPOLITAN INTERNATIONAL DAY
TO CREATE AWARENESS AND FIGHT DIABETES

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-ninth Day of October in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.



Kristi Noem
Governor of South Dakota

ATTEST:

Steven J. Barnett
Secretary of State