

BOISE COUNTY
STATE OF IDAHO

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, RAILROADS ARE A VITAL LINK IN THE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, AND
- WHEREAS, THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 3500 PUBLIC AND PRIVATE GRADE CROSSINGS IN IDAHO, AND
- WHEREAS, THERE WERE 47 ACCIDENTS IN IDAHO, KILLING SEVEN PEOPLE AND INJURING EIGHTEEN PEOPLE, AND
- WHEREAS, FATALITIES ARE LOW DUE TO THE EFFORTS OF CITY, COUNTY AND STATE GOVERNMENT; CITY, COUNTY AND STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT; THE RAILROADS AND THE MEDIA; ALL BRINGING ATTENTION TO WAYS TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF RAILROAD CROSSINGS ACCIDENTS, AND
- WHEREAS, GRADE CROSSING ACCIDENTS CAN BEST BE PREVENTED THROUGH INCREASED PUBLIC AWARENESS, DRIVER EDUCATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF PUBLIC LAWS,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN THAT THE COUNTY OF BOISE DOES HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF APRIL 1-6, 1991

"RAILROAD CROSSING SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK"

AND URGE ALL CITIZENS OF BOISE COUNTY TO BE AWARE OF THE POTENTIAL OF GRADE CROSSING ACCIDENTS, TO PRACTICE RESPONSIBLE AND SAFE DRIVING BEHAVIOR AND TO SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATE IN THOSE ACTIVITIES AIMED AT ELIMINATING GRADE CROSSING ACCIDENTS.

Mary Hanson

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