



Executive Department  
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor  
**Proclamation**

State Capitol  
Boise

## **2012 JERRY KRAMER – HALL OF FAME DAY**

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer has distinguished himself as a graduate of the University of Idaho and Sandpoint High School and has brought distinction to our state by virtue of his professional career and selfless personal commitment to important volunteer work; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer played professional football for the Green Bay Packers at the highest levels in the National Football League for 11 seasons, contributed to the success of the legendary Packer sweep and once led the NFL in scoring as a kicker; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer was a five-time All-Pro selection, a member of five championship teams – including the first two Super Bowl teams – and a member of the NFL’s 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary All-Time team, as well as being named a member of the NFL’s All-Decade Team of the 1960s at offensive guard; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer’s bestselling book *Instant Replay* is widely considered to be one of the best first-person accounts of life in the NFL ever written; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer is the only player selected to the NFL’s 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary team not enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, 16 current members of the NFL Hall of Fame, many of whom played against Kramer – including such all-time greats as Roger Staubach, Frank Gifford, Alan Page, Bob Lilly, Jan Stenerud, Gino Marchetti and Paul Hornung – think so highly of Kramer’s NFL career that they have endorsed his nomination and election to the Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, Jerry Kramer’s NFL career – including historic moments in playoff and championship games – clearly qualifies him to be selected for recognition among the elite of professional football and inclusion in the Hall of Fame, and thousands of Idahoans and more Kramer fans across the nation endorse his selection;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. “Butch” Otter, Governor of the State of Idaho do hereby declare June 1, 2012 to be

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in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord two thousand and twelve and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-sixth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twenty-second.

C.L. “BUTCH” OTTER  
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE