



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, landscape architects throughout Idaho have a mission to lead, to educate and to participate in the careful stewardship, wise planning and artful design of our cultural and natural environments; and

WHEREAS, the Idaho Montana Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects actively encourages creating or improving access to places for physical activity within our communities, including parks, recreational facilities, bicycle paths, walking trails and sidewalks, as well as sustainable design; and

WHEREAS, landscape architects join together across the country during the month of April to educate the public about how their profession promotes Healthy Living Through Design; and

WHEREAS, the theme of Healthy Living Through Design will spur a nationwide discussion about landscape architecture's role in the most important issues facing our country, such as reducing childhood obesity, cleaning the air, greening the streets and urging people to get out and take advantage of the great parks and landscapes available to them; and

WHEREAS, working with landscape architects, communities can promote health and well-being by encouraging the development of environments that offer rich social, economic and environmental benefits such as healthy, livable communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim April 2013 to be

IDAHO LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE MONTH



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 1st day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and thirteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-seventh and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twenty-third.

A blue ink signature of C.L. "Butch" Otter, written in a cursive style.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
GOVERNOR

A black ink signature of Ben Ysursa, written in a cursive style.

BEN YSURSA
SECRETARY OF STATE