

Governor's Proclamation



SHOOTING SPORTS MONTH

State of Wyoming
By the Governor

WHEREAS, hunting, firearms and the shooting sports are part of the history, tradition and culture of Wyoming; and

WHEREAS, access to shooting ranges provides opportunity to learn to shoot, and responsibly increases public participation in shooting sports and hunting; and

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Game and Fish Department is not only responsible for the sound management and conservation of wildlife but also teaches principles of ethical hunting, firearms safety and responsible firearm use; and

WHEREAS, hundreds of thousands of Wyoming residents, young and old, participate in hunting and shooting sports every year; and

WHEREAS, sportsmen and women; recreationalist dollars from license fees, a tax on sporting arms; ammunition, archery equipment and handguns; apportioned to Wyoming through the Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act, also known as the Pittman-Robertson Act, help fund a large portion of Wyoming Game and Fish Department; and

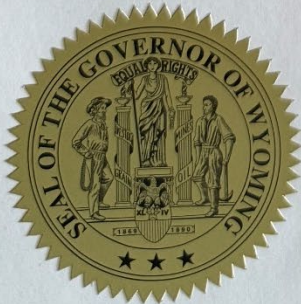
WHEREAS, in August 2025, organizations, businesses and others will come together to recognize National Shooting Sports Month and to spotlight shooting sports activities enjoyed by millions of Americans, including participation at ranges.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MARK GORDON, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby recognize and proclaim the month of August, 2025 to be

Shooting Sports Month

in Wyoming, and encourage the people of Wyoming to participate in hunting and the shooting sports.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 23rd day of July, 2025.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Mark Gordon", is positioned above the printed name of the Governor.

The Honorable Mark Gordon
33rd Governor of the Great State of Wyoming