



# CITY OF BILLINGS

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## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS** ~ Montana State University Billings has been a central public institution in the cultural and educational development of Billings since its founding in 1927; and

**WHEREAS** ~ Montana State University Billings provides access to educational opportunities for students from Billings, throughout Montana, and beyond; and

**WHEREAS** ~ Montana State University Billings provides excellence in education in a variety of disciplines, including but not limited to education, business, arts and sciences, health, and the trades; and

**WHEREAS** ~ Montana State University Billings is an integral part of the Billings community, educating students so they can become part of the effective workforce that is essential for a vibrant, healthy, and stable local economy; and

**WHEREAS** ~ Montana State University Billings has more than 31,000 alumni throughout the world, concentrated especially in Billings and Yellowstone County; and

**WHEREAS** ~ the Montana State University Billings Jacket Homecoming is being once again celebrated in Billings from October 5 through 7, 2018;

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, William A. Cole, the Mayor of Billings, Montana, hereby proclaim Friday, October 5, 2018 to be

### MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY BILLINGS DAY

in Billings and in so doing urge all citizens to support the university and participate in all homecoming festivities.

William Cole, Mayor

