

# Proclamation

WHEREAS, the year 2013 marks the 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the passage of the Federal Fair Housing Act; Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended; and

WHEREAS, this law guarantees that housing throughout the United States should be made available to all citizens without regard to race, color, religion, sex, family status, disability or national origin; and

WHEREAS, equality of opportunity for all is a fundamental policy of this nation, state and city, and

WHEREAS, barriers which diminish the rights and limit the options of any citizen will ultimately diminish the right of all citizens;

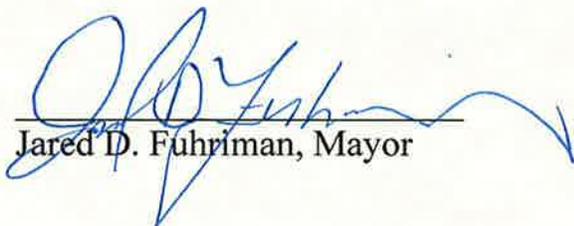
WHEREAS, the cooperation, commitment and support of all the residents of the City of Idaho Falls is necessary to removing barriers to the enjoyment of living where one chooses within one's means.

NOW THEREFORE, I, JARED D. FUHRIMAN, MAYOR of the City of Idaho Falls, do hereby Proclaim the month of April 2013 as

## Fair Housing Month

And request and encourage every citizen and business of our community to support and endorse Fair Housing; to reaffirm their commitment to Fair Housing for all, and wholeheartedly recognize these rights and responsibilities through out the year.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Idaho Falls to be affixed on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, Two Thousand and Thirteen.

  
Jared D. Fuhriman, Mayor

