



PROCLAMATION
April 2016 as Grange Month

Building Access for Tomorrow

WHEREAS, the Grange continues to be an active force in thousands of communities across the country by providing an effective voice for rural development, agriculture, and community service; and

WHEREAS, the Grange provides leadership, motivation, and dedication to bring together rural and urban families; and

WHEREAS, the Grange provides for its members the opportunity for individual expression and personal growth; and

WHEREAS, the Grange emphasizes the involvement of people in the legislative process and responsibilities of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, the Grange strives to enhance the quality of life and economic well-being of its members and friends in an atmosphere of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, Grange members take pride in belonging to a highly respected fraternal organization;

THEREFORE, I, Betsy E. Huber, Master of the National Grange, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2016 as Grange Month, and further I do encourage the participation of each Junior, Community, Pomona, and State Grange in this annual celebration of Grange Month by developing programs and activities that will highlight the Grange in their respective communities.
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Signed: Betsy E. Huber
National Master