

# The State of Washington



## Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, registered dietitian nutritionists are food and nutrition experts who translate the science of nutrition into practical solutions for healthy living; and

**WHEREAS**, registered dietitian nutritionists have degrees in nutrition, dietetics, public health, or a related field from well-respected, accredited colleges and universities, completed an internship, passed an examination, and maintain continuing education; and

**WHEREAS**, registered dietitian nutritionists use their nutrition expertise to help individuals make positive lifestyle changes; and

**WHEREAS**, registered dietitian nutritionists work throughout the community in hospitals, schools, public health clinics, nursing homes, fitness centers, food management, the food industry, universities, research institutions, private practice, and with families; and

**WHEREAS**, registered dietitian nutritionists are advocates for advancing the health and well-being of all Washingtonians;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Jay Inslee, Governor of the state of Washington, do hereby proclaim March 8, 2023, as

### *Registered Dietitian Nutritionist Day*

in Washington, and I encourage all people in our state to join me in this special observance.

Signed this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023

Handwritten signature of Jay Inslee in blue ink.

Governor Jay Inslee

