## STATE OF MONTANA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 10-2021

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER RESCINDING STATE OF EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national state of emergency due to a nationwide outbreak of COVID-19, and on January 13, 2021, I entered Executive Order 2-2021 establishing a statewide emergency;

WHEREAS, Montanans have made great sacrifices to reduce the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, because the state revised its COVID-19 vaccine distribution plan to prioritize the most vulnerable Montanans, including seniors and those with underlying medical conditions, COVID-19-related hospitalizations have declined from 190 on January 15, 2021 to 54 on June 15, 2021;

WHEREAS, most Montanans have returned to a sense of normalcy and regular life; and

WHEREAS, conditions no longer warrant the continuation of the state of emergency;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, GREG GIANFORTE,** Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution, Mont. Code Ann.§§ 10-3-103, 10-3-104, 103-302, and any other applicable statutes, do hereby rescind Executive Order 2-2021 and lift Montana's state of emergency.

THIS ORDER is effective immediately.



GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of June, 2021.

GREG GIANFORTE, Governor

ATTEST:

CHRISTI JACOBSEN, Secretary of State