



State of Missouri

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Missouri Youth Leadership Forum (YLF) is a unique career and leadership training program for high school students with disabilities, sponsored by the Governor's Council on Disability; and

WHEREAS, the goals of Youth Leadership Forum are to learn and apply leadership principles; understand the disability experience and share resources; learn assistive technology; build independent living skills and set career goals; and develop advocacy skills; and

WHEREAS, delegates are selected from their local communities to cultivate leadership, citizenship, social skills, and career development skills; and

WHEREAS, Youth Leadership Forum enables students to meet successful adults with disabilities who share similar challenges, provides an atmosphere of encouragement, and helps youth realize their abilities; and

WHEREAS, the 16th annual Missouri Youth Leadership Forum will be held July 10-14, 2018.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michael L. Parson, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby recognize the

MISSOURI YOUTH LEADERSHIP FORUM

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 22nd day of June, 2018.



Michael L. Parson
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE