

The Office of the Mayor

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, being an Owyhee basketball player is more than scoring points, making assists, grabbing rebounds, stealing the ball and achieving back to back state titles. It is training to build leadership, character, confidence, teamwork and resilience – all traits needed to succeed on the court, in the classroom and in the real world; and,

Whereas, getting stronger and stronger each year, the team turned four years of trials, adversity and hard-earned lessons into the first title in the young program's history; and,

Whereas, Owyhee finished with a 25-2 overall record and 11-0 in the Southern Idaho Conference with their hard work, skill, and teamwork resulting in a 38-33 victory in the 2025 State Basketball Championship Tournament to capture the first state title for the 6A Girls Basketball team; and,

Whereas, the leadership, training and discipline of their coaches helped all team members to focus their talents and passion to become a winning team, with each player making valuable contributions to their victory.

Therefore, I, Mayor Robert E. Simison, hereby proclaim April 1st, 2025 as

Owyhee High School Girls' Basketball State Champions Day

in the City of Meridian and call upon the community to join me in congratulating the Storm on their remarkable athletic achievement and for representing Meridian so proudly in the state tournament.

Dated this 1st day of April, 2025

Robert E. Simison, Mayor



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