## STATE OF OREGON

## PROCLAMATION

## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS: The Oregon State University Extension Service has been a partnership among Oregon

counties, the State of Oregon and the United States Department of Agriculture for 100 years;

and

WHEREAS: The OSU Extension Service provides vital educational service to agriculture, forestry, youth

development, family and community health, and marine and coastal communities; and

WHEREAS: The OSU Extension Service programs are focused on community livability, economic

vitality, natural resource sustainability, and the health and well-being of the people of

Oregon; and

**WHEREAS:** The OSU Extension Service 4-H Youth Development program reaches one in five Oregon

boys and girls with the assistance of over 6,000 adult volunteers; and

WHEREAS: The OSU Extension Service is celebrating its centennial during 2011 with events and

recognition across the state.

NOW,

THEREFORE: I, John A. Kitzhaber, M.D., Governor of the State of Oregon, hereby proclaim April 21,

2011 to be

## OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION DAY

in Oregon and encourage all Oregonians to join in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the Great Seal of the State of Oregon to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Salem in the State of Oregon on this day, April 19, 2011.

John A. Kitzhaber, M.D., Governor

Kate Brown, Secretary of State