



A PROCLAMATION AUTHORIZING RECOGNITION OF ALZHEIMER'S AND BRAIN AWARENESS MONTH JUNE 2025

WHEREAS, the ten-county Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG)) region is committed to supporting a strong framework to raise awareness of Alzheimer's and brain health; and

WHEREAS, the communities in the CAPCOG region benefit when people of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds are made more aware of the resources available regarding Alzheimer's and brain health; and

WHEREAS, "Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness" month is observed with the purpose of increasing public knowledge and understanding about the disease, while also garnering support and making meaningful impacts to cognitive health. This awareness creates an opportunity for the communities in the CAPCOG region to learn more about Alzheimer's prevention and services, brain health, and awareness efforts.

WHEREAS, CAPCOG recognizes the need to create a community that provides services and support for persons with Alzheimer's and their caregivers. CAPCOG Aging Services ensures this support through direct services including information and referral; in-home services; home modifications; caregiver respite; health and wellness education; Ombudsman advocacy in nursing facilities and assisted living facilities, and supporting the *Healthy Brain Initiative, State and Local Public Health Partnerships to Address Dementia: The 2023-2027 Roadmap*: [National Healthy Brain Initiative State and Local Road Map](#) | [Alzheimer's Disease Program](#) | [CDC](#)

THEREFORE, the Executive Committee of the Capital Area Council of Governments declares the month of June 2025 to be recognized as Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month in the CAPCOG region to recognize the importance of Alzheimer's disease awareness and brain health as key to building a stronger and healthier community across the CAPCOG region.

Proclamation adopted by the Capital Area Council of Governments Executive Committee on this 14th day of May 2025.

Judge Brett Bray, Chair
Capital Area Council of Governments
Executive Committee

Mayor Pro Tem, Dr. Steve Hougen Secretary
Capital Area Council of Governments
Executive Committee