

WHEREAS, Elite Cheer, Inc. is encouraging and inspiring children to be positive role models; and

WHEREAS. Elite Cheer works to broaden the world and skills of their members and equip them for the challenges that lie ahead. In respecting their interests, they foster strengths; and

WHEREAS. The mission of Elite Cheer is to help children realize their full potential and give them the courage to stand for something they believe in and to become the leaders of tomorrow; and

WHEREAS. Elite Cheer has been in business for over twelve years and has grown from eight students at its inception to over 400 strong; and

WHEREAS. The Elite Cheer Stars from Omaha, consisting of 20 girls ages 11 to 18, is one of nine teams from Elite Cheer, a local all-star cheerleading company; and

WHEREAS, In a recent competition in Minnesota, the Elite Cheer Stars earned a full paid bid to the most prestigious cheerleading competition in the world, "The Cheerleading Worlds," being held the 26th and 27th of

April, 2008 in Orlando, Florida; and

WHEREAS. The Elite Cheer Stars will be representing Nebraska as they compete with more than 175 teams representing more than 30 countries in the

Cheerleading World competition; and

WHEREAS. Everyday, Elite Cheer Stars strive to produce excellence, not only in cheerleading, but in all areas of life.

> I, Dave Heineman, Governor of the State of Nebraska, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the 3rd day of April, 2008, as

ELITE CHEER STARS DAY

in Nebraska, and I do hereby urge all citizens to take due note of the observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and cause the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska to be affixed this Third day of April, in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Eight.

Secretary of State

NOW, THEREFORE.

Attest.

Governor