

IN THE SENATE

SENATE PROCLAMATION NO. 102

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A PROCLAMATION

1
2 COMMENDING JON EVANS FOR HIS INDUCTION INTO THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF
3 AMERICA HALL OF FAME, HIS TIRELESS DEDICATION TO IDAHO'S YOUTH, AND THE
4 COUNTLESS NUMBER OF CHILDREN HE HAS SERVED.

5 We, the members of the Senate of the State of Idaho assembled in the
6 First Regular Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho Legislature, do hereby pro-
7 claim:

8 WHEREAS, the Boys and Girls Clubs of America awards its best people the
9 "Masters and Mentors Award," the highest honor given to Boys and Girls Clubs
10 of America professionals to recognize their significant sustained contribu-
11 tions and demonstrated excellence and inducts those people into the Boys and
12 Girls Clubs of America Hall of Fame; and

13 WHEREAS, in its 165-year history, the Boys and Girls Clubs of America
14 has bestowed this honor on only 83 people and never to anyone from Idaho; and

15 WHEREAS, Jon Evans, the CEO of the Boys and Girls Clubs of the Lewis
16 Clark Valley in Lewiston, Idaho, was awarded the Masters and Mentors Award
17 by the Boys and Girls Clubs of America and will be inducted into the Boys and
18 Girls Clubs of America Hall of Fame; and

19 WHEREAS, Jon Evans has dedicated his career to serving and mentoring
20 tens of thousands of young people for more than 37 years and has demonstrated
21 excellence in his profession, embodied the mission of the Boys and Girls
22 Clubs of America, and successfully mentored other professionals; and

23 WHEREAS, Jon Evans first entered the Boys and Girls Clubs of America as a
24 ten-year-old and he has been committed to the organization ever since; and

25 WHEREAS, Jon Evans has been a role model for young people as a peer, then
26 as a youth leader, then as a program director, and now as a chief executive
27 officer; and

28 WHEREAS, Jon Evans has been a leader in the Lewiston community, helping
29 keep the community going during the recent pandemic by working with business
30 leaders, community organizations, and local schools to keep central Idaho
31 children safe and engaged.

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the members of the Senate assembled
33 in the First Regular Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho Legislature, that we
34 recognize and congratulate Jon Evans for his induction into the Boys and
35 Girls Clubs of America Hall of Fame, his tireless dedication to Idaho's
36 youth, and the countless number of children he has served.