

# Proclamation

## by Governor Jim Justice

**Whereas,** the men and women of our Armed Forces continue to work together to protect and serve the citizens of the United States and throughout our nation's history many of these patriots have given the ultimate sacrifice to protect our freedoms; and

**Whereas,** these fallen service members return home to their families where a folded flag represents the most solemn of rites; and

**Whereas,** citizens of West Virginia will give pause and remember the sacrifice of our fallen patriots as well as the children they have left behind; and

**Whereas,** West Virginia is proud to be one of the select states in the United States that has honored Children of Fallen Patriots Day on May 13th thus celebrating the past, present, and future of West Virginia's long-standing support for the children of our fallen patriots.

**Now, Therefore,** Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *May 13, 2022* as:


### *Children of Fallen Patriots Day*

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to join me in this observance.

**In Witness Whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

**Done** at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Twenty-Eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Two, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Ninth year of the State.



  
Jim Justice  
Governor

*By the Governor:*

  
Mac Warner  
Secretary of State