

Proclamation

by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, West Virginia relies on critical infrastructure, including our roads and bridges, railroads and transit systems, ports and airports, pipes and water system, reliable power supply, access to broadband, and connectivity to the regional, national, and global economy; and

Whereas, this infrastructure enhances our local and regional economy, our quality of life, our safety, and the strength of our communities; and

Whereas, the week of May 15 through 19 is observed as *Infrastructure Week* across the nation as an opportunity for national and local leaders to elevate infrastructure as a critical issue; and

Whereas, *Infrastructure Week* challenges policy-makers and the public to address head-on the challenges facing United States infrastructure, to move beyond short-term fixes and deferred maintenance, and to envision the innovative solutions, technologies, policies, and investments that will improve America's infrastructure today and for the future.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *May 15-19, 2023* as:

Infrastructure Week

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 Third day of May, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Three, and in the One Hundred Sixtieth year of the State.






Jim Justice

Governor

By the Governor:



Mac Warner

Secretary of State