Proclamation by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, the School Breakfast Program has served our nation admirably since it was permanently established in 1975; and

Whereas, the School Breakfast Program is dedicated to the health and well-being of our nation's children; and

Whereas, the School Breakfast Program joins the Fuel up to Play 60 and has been joined through the years by many other excellent child nutrition programs; and

Whereas, there is evidence of continued need for nutrition education and awareness of the value of school nutrition programs; and

Whereas, an average of 3 million school breakfasts are served monthly to students, at more than 700 sites in West Virginia; WV is ranked first in the Nation for breakfast participation according to Food Research & Action Center Scorecard (FRAC Scorecard); and

Whereas, the West Virginia Feed to Achieve Act emphasizes all WV students shall have adequate time and availability for school breakfast.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *March 4-8*, 2019 as:

National School Breakfast Week

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to become aware and concerned about their children's and their own nutrition habits, in hope of achieving a more healthful citizenry for today and the future.

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 Sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Nineteen, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Sixth year of the State.



James Justice
Governor

By the Governor:

Mac Warner Secretary of State