

Proclamation

by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, libraries of all types are at the heart of West Virginia's cities, towns, schools and campuses; and

Whereas, libraries are trusted resources for accessing information; and

Whereas, librarians and library support staff provide expert assistance in person and online to finding what is needed, when it is needed, in the format that is needed; and

Whereas, libraries are places where people learn individually and together, where local history and heritage is preserved, where users Explore, Discover, and Create; and

Whereas, libraries provide free access to multiple types of technology including but not limited to e-books, audiobooks and research databases; and

Whereas, libraries support learning at all of life's stages, including young children discovering stories, students researching papers, immigrants learning English, jobseekers creating resumes, and entrepreneurs exploring business opportunities.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *February 10, 2020* as:


West Virginia Library Day

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to visit a library to take advantage of the wonderful library resources available.


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 Fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Seventh year of the State.




Jim Justice
Governor

By the Governor:


Mac Warner
Secretary of State