

Proclamation

by Governor Jim Justice

- Whereas,** clean and safe water is vital to public health, environmental sustainability, and economic prosperity; and
- Whereas,** the quality of our water resources directly impacts the health of our communities, ecosystems, and wildlife; and
- Whereas,** West Virginia American Water takes great pride in providing safe, reliable drinking water to a third of the state's population; and
- Whereas,** *National Water Quality Month* serves as an opportunity to raise awareness about the importance of protecting and preserving our water sources; and
- Whereas,** education and public engagement are essential in promoting responsible water stewardship and conservation practices; and
- Whereas,** individuals, organizations, and communities across our nation are dedicated to improving water quality through advocacy, innovation, and sustainable practices.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *August 2024* as:

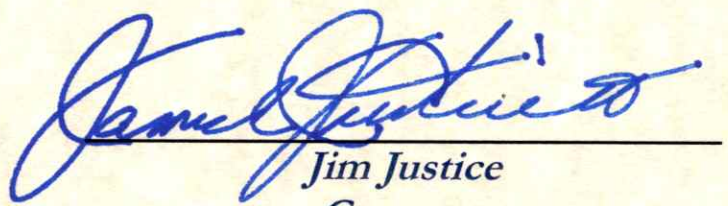
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in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to join me in this observance.

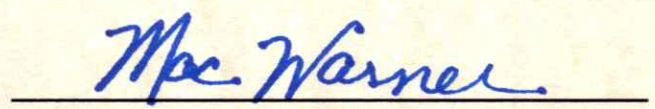
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Twenty-Third day of July, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Four, and in the One Hundred Sixty-Second year of the State.




Jim Justice
Governor

By the Governor:


Mac Warner
Secretary of State