Proclamation by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, highway workers play a critical role in improving West Virginia's infrastructure and supporting economic development; and

Whereas, highway construction work and repairs to roadways, puts both workers and motorists at risk each day; and

Whereas, workers diligently continue to improve, rebuild, and maintain roadway so that motorists can safely and efficiently travel; and

Whereas, drivers are urged to take note of reduced speed limits, eliminate distractions, and be watchful for roadway workers and their equipment; and

Whereas, to reduce work zone fatalities and injuries, the State of West Virginia encourages motorists and highway workers to educate themselves about the dangers associated with work zones; and

Whereas, safety on our roads is a shared responsibility, and all citizens must do their part to keep our highways safe; and

Whereas, West Virginia is dedicated to enhancing work zone safety for both the highway worker and travelling public.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *April 2021* as:

Work Zone Safety Awareness Month

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



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By the Governor:

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