### STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

# EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

### At Charleston

# A PROCLAMATION

# By the Governor

WHEREAS, the President of the United States of America has directed by proclamation that the flag of the United States shall be flown at half-staff on all public buildings and grounds and other facilities both in the United States and abroad until sunset on May 28, 2022, as a mark of respect for the victims of the senseless acts of violence perpetrated on May 24, 2022, by a gunman at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde, Texas.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIM JUSTICE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Governor of the State of West Virginia, and in keeping with the Presidential Proclamation issued on May 24, 2022, do hereby ORDER that all United States flags and West Virginia flags displayed on all State-owned facilities throughout West Virginia shall be lowered to half-staff, there to remain until sunset on May 28, 2022.

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 in the City of Charleston,
State of West Virginia, this Twenty-Fourth day of
May, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand
Twenty-Two, and in the One Hundred FiftyNinth year of the State.

GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE