

STATE OF ARKANSAS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: During 2017, Goodwill Industries of Arkansas is celebrating its 90 years of serving Arkansans; and

WHEREAS: The people of Arkansas believe that work has the power to transform lives through building self-confidence, independence, creativity, trust, and friendships, and that everyone deserves a chance to work and to provide for themselves and their families; and

WHEREAS: Goodwill Industries is North America's leading nonprofit provider of education, training, and career services for people with disadvantages, including welfare dependency, homelessness, and lack of education or work experience, as well as those with physical, mental, and emotional disabilities; and

WHEREAS: Since its inception in 1927, the mission of Goodwill Industries of Arkansas has been to change lives through education, training, and employment;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ASA HUTCHINSON, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Arkansas, do hereby proclaim May 7th through May 13th, 2017 as

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across the State, and I urge all citizens to recognize and commend Goodwill Industries for its 90 years of dedication to our fellow Arkansans who gain self-sufficiency and hope through the services of Goodwill.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 23rd day of January, in the year of our Lord 2017.



Asa Hutchinson, Governor

Attest:

Mark Martin, Secretary Of State