TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: Teachers have the power to equip young people with the knowledge and tools to improve their lives, their communities, and our state; and

WHEREAS: Teachers are valuable role models to students and can encourage a desire for learning in a variety of subjects; and

WHEREAS: There are over 33,000 teachers in the State of Arkansas who are preparing our future generations by encouraging, inspiring, and guiding them for successful career paths; and

WHEREAS: Youth are truly the future of our state and nation, and the teachers of Arkansas are on the frontlines of the fight for that future; and

WHEREAS: Arkansas Teacher’s Day shows our appreciation for the contributions of teachers to their students, families, and their communities;

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 March 3rd, 2020, as

ARKANSAS TEACHER’S DAY

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 2nd day of March, in the year of our Lord 2020.

Asa Hutchinson, Governor

Attest:

John Thurston, Secretary Of State