

STATE OF ARKANSAS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: October 7, 2022, is National Manufacturing Day; and

WHEREAS: Manufacturing in Arkansas accounts for nearly 15 percent of the state's total economic output; and

WHEREAS: Total output from manufacturing in Arkansas exceeds 19 billion per year; and

WHEREAS: An average of 148,000 Arkansans work in manufacturing, with an average annual compensation of more than \$61,000; and

WHEREAS: We celebrate all that is made in Arkansas for our state, the nation, and the world, and recognizing manufacturing is essential to Arkansas's economy, providing high quality careers and products;

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 October 3rd through October 7th, 2022, as

ARKANSAS MANUFACTURING WEEK

across the State, and I encourage my fellow citizens to join me in this observance.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 28th day of September, in the year of our Lord 2022.



Asa Hutchinson

Asa Hutchinson, Governor

Attest:

John Thurston

John Thurston, Secretary of State