

STATE OF ARKANSAS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: Arkansas's varied landscape and demographic attracts a diverse entrepreneurial spirit and offers many opportunities for entrepreneurs and innovative minds to excel; and

WHEREAS: The entrepreneurial ecosystem in Arkansas is more vibrant than ever, as new ideas, innovations, and startups are supported and celebrated; and

WHEREAS: Because of the hard work and dedication of citizens who create opportunities for new business ventures, local entrepreneurs in communities across Arkansas provide a vast array of goods, services, and jobs that are vital to our economy; and

WHEREAS: Arkansas innovators and businesses continue to evolve in an ever-changing marketplace and are instrumental to our state's overall economic progress;

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 November 2020, as

NATIONAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP MONTH IN ARKANSAS

and November 17, 2020, as

NATIONAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP DAY IN ARKANSAS

across the State, and I encourage citizens and communities to invest in the interest of local business owners and entrepreneurs to strengthen Arkansas's economy.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 15th day of September, in the year of our Lord 2020.



Asa Hutchinson, Governor