STATE OF INDIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
INDIANAPOLIS

PROCLAMATION

Executive Order

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, Truck Driver Appreciation Week is an important time for Indiana to pay respect and thank all of the professional truck drivers for their hard work and commitment in undertaking one of our economy’s most demanding and important jobs; and

WHEREAS, Indiana is the Crossroads of America; and

WHEREAS, one in fourteen Indiana jobs are trucking industry jobs; and

WHEREAS, Indiana’s 177,900 professional men and women truck drivers are at the heart of moving commerce in Indiana, transporting 92% of Indiana’s manufactured tonnage, and supporting 80% of Indiana’s communities who exclusively depend on trucks to move their goods safely, securely and on time. The professional truck driver also works hard to keep our highways safe, so they and you can go home to your families each and every night; and

WHEREAS, this year’s Truck Driver Appreciation Week takes on a special significance considering the crucial role they continue to play in ensuring the transportation of essential goods across the state of Indiana and our nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim September 12-18, 2021 as

TRUCK DRIVER APPRECIATION WEEK

in the State of Indiana, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

In Testimoniae Verbo, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of State. Done at the City of Indianapolis, this 16th day of September the year of our Lord 2021 and of the Independence of the United States 246.

BY THE GOVERNOR:

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