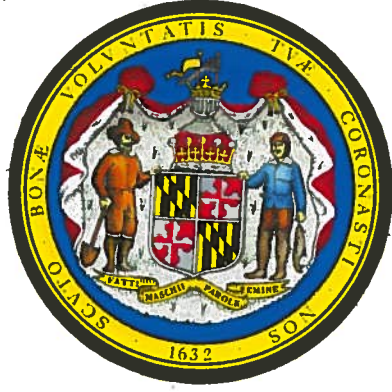


The State of Maryland



Proclamation

From the Governor of the State of Maryland

STATE EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION DAY

MAY 5, 2021

- WHEREAS,** *Maryland State employees provide the diverse services required of State Government with efficiency, effectiveness and integrity; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Maryland State employees have continued to provide outstanding service to the citizens of Maryland in all service areas including but not limited to public safety, human services, health care, unemployment insurance, education, transportation, economic development, and recreation during this unprecedented and ongoing Covid-19 Pandemic; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Maryland State employees are committed to exhibiting the highest standards of quality customer service and excellence in the performance of their job duties in service to the citizens of Maryland; and*
- WHEREAS,** *Maryland is honored to join other states across the nation during the week of May 3 through May 7, 2021 to extend our great respect and gratitude to all State employees for their hard work, continued dedication, and commitment to excellence.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LAWRENCE J. HOGAN, JR., GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim MAY 5, 2021 as STATE EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION DAY in Maryland, and call this observance to the attention of all citizens to encourage all Marylanders to commend the extraordinary efforts and commitment of our State employees.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland,
this 5th day of May
Two Thousand and twenty-one

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.
Governor

Byrd H. Lathrop
Lt. Governor

John C. Womack
Secretary of State