

# Proclamation

## by Governor Jim Justice

- Whereas,** volunteerism strengthens communities, addresses vital societal concerns and enhances the quality of life for all citizens; and
- Whereas,** volunteering increases the self-confidence and physical well-being of volunteers while positively affecting communities; and
- Whereas,** community organizations, faith-based organizations, civic and humanitarian groups, and governmental agencies are encouraged to organize local events which will meet unique community needs; and
- Whereas,** citizens of West Virginia are encouraged to participate in and organize service projects in their communities; and
- Whereas,** this day provides an opportunity to identify local needs and make an ongoing commitment to service throughout the year; and
- Whereas,** West Virginians will join with the residents of Virginia, Maryland and Washington, DC to participate in a regional *Day to Serve* focusing on the issues of hunger and other community improvement projects.


**Now, Therefore,** Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the State of West Virginia, do hereby encourage all West Virginians to volunteer at least one day during *September 11– October 10, 2020* in a:

### *Day to Serve*

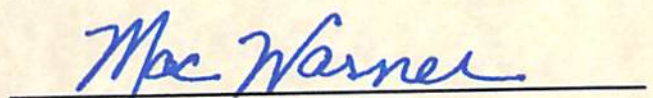
**In Witness Whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

**Done** at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Second day of September, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Eighth year of the State.



  
Jim Justice  
Governor

By the Governor:

  
Mac Warner  
Secretary of State