

State of Iowa
Executive Department

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2022 marks the 85th Anniversary of the National Apprenticeship Act; and National Apprenticeship Week recognizes the value that Registered Apprenticeships are creating in the workforce of today and tomorrow, and their ability to grow more industries than ever before; and

WHEREAS, the health of Iowa's workforce is directly dependent on the creation of long-term pipelines, which remain paramount to the success of our economy, our communities, and ultimately our state; and

WHEREAS, Registered Apprenticeship programs are now driving access to high-demand careers through unique learning models that are creating meaningful experiences for apprentices who earn while they learn; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of new Registered Apprenticeship programs must be supported to help fulfill Iowa's workforce needs, including in education, health care, advanced manufacturing and other fields that have been greatly impacted by the pandemic and recent workforce challenges; and

WHEREAS, the State of Iowa recognizes the thousands of employers, apprentices, and community partners that make Registered Apprenticeships a reality, which continues to benefit the economy and raise the bar for success in meeting our recruitment and retention needs; and

WHEREAS, Registered Apprenticeship programs are creating innovative solutions that help employers adapt in order to create their own talent pipeline, and that these programs will remain a key tool for the state's evolving needs in workforce development.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kim Reynolds, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim November 14-20, 2022 as:

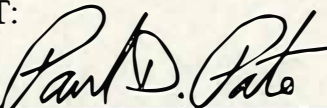
National Apprenticeship Week



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE
HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND
CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF
IOWA TO BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES MOINES
THIS FOURTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER IN
THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND
TWENTY-TWO.


KIM REYNOLDS
GOVERNOR OF IOWA

ATTEST:


PAUL PATE
SECRETARY OF STATE