STATE OF INDIANA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, throughout our country's history, the people of our state and

nation have worked together to ensure the preservation of the

American ideals of freedom and liberty; and

WHEREAS, American patriotism has endured through times of turmoil and

times of peace, carrying our nation through the darkest days of history and strengthening our commitment to the ideals upon

which our country was founded; and

WHEREAS, in great reverence to the victims of the attacks on September 11,

> 2001 and recognition of the signing of the Constitution on September 17, 1787, Patriot Week is a time to celebrate the principles set forth by our Founding Fathers as well as the countless patriots, vital documents, speeches and flags that

helped make America the great nation it is today; and

WHEREAS, the state of Indiana encourages Hoosiers to renew their

appreciation and understanding of America's spirit and reflect on

the importance of patriotism to America's past, present and

future;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby

proclaim September 11-17, 2019 as

PATRIOT WEEK

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

In Testimony Whèreof, I hereto set my hand and eause to be affixed the

Great Seal of State. Done at the

City of Indianapolis, this 1st

day of August the year of our

Lord 2019 and of the Independence

of the United States 244.



BY THE GOVERNOR:

EME Howard