

The State of Maryland



Proclamation

From the Governor of the State of Maryland

WORK ZONE AWARENESS MONTH

APRIL 2022

WHEREAS, *Maryland is committed to performing inspection, maintenance and construction work to ensure a safe, well-maintained highway system that provides paths to opportunity for all in our great state and keeps Maryland open for business; and*

WHEREAS, *Maryland will have a very active construction season, with hundreds of projects underway, and we must protect highway workers as they courageously work to improve the safety and quality of life of those traveling Maryland's highways; and*

WHEREAS, *We recognize those who work in roadway construction and maintenance, as well as traffic engineers, traffic operations personnel, toll workers, law enforcement officers, emergency personnel and others whose work environments include the open road and we honor those who have been injured or lost in the line of duty; and*

WHEREAS, *Maryland is raising drivers' awareness of the need to slow down, stay alert, avoid distractions and obey signs and flag persons in work zones to prevent crashes and injuries that injure workers, drivers and passengers.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LAWRENCE J. HOGAN, JR., GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim the month of APRIL 2022 as WORK ZONE SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH in Maryland, and do commend this observance to all of our citizens.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland,
this 1st day of April
Two Thousand and twenty-two

Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.
Governor

Robert K. Lathrop
Lt. Governor

John C. Womack
Secretary of State