## STATE OF ARIZONA PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, clean and readily abundant forms of energy are powering more homes and businesses than ever before and are a foundational part of America's future; and

WHEREAS, affordable and reliable clean energy is and will continue to fuel Arizona's robust economy; and

WHEREAS, continued advances in clean energy technologies, energy storage, and grid reliability are critical to our energy future; and

WHEREAS, National Clean Energy Week encourages increased organizational and individual support of clean energy solutions to power our economy into the future; and

WHEREAS, with a net summer capacity of 3,937 megawatts, Arizona's Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station is the largest nuclear power plant, the largest net generator of electricity, and the second-largest power plant by capacity of any kind in the nation; and

WHEREAS, in 2020, Arizona ranked fourth in the nation in solar-powered electricity generation at utility-scale and small-scale installations. Solar energy provided the state with more power than all of Arizona's other non-hydroelectric renewable energy sources combined; and

WHEREAS, the long-term focus on reliability and integrated system planning has and will continue to allow Arizona's energy portfolio to be both clean and reliable.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 20 – 24, 2021 as

## **CLEAN ENERGY WEEK**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Nineteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-One, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Sixth.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

