



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capital
Boise

WHEREAS, clean and readily abundant forms of energy are powering more homes and businesses across Idaho than ever before; in 2021, 74-percent of the electricity generated in Idaho at utility-scale power plants was produced from renewable energy sources, the fourth-highest share for any state after Vermont, South Dakota, and Washington; and

WHEREAS, Idaho is a national leader in clean energy, with our rivers supplying half of our net electricity generation, the eighth largest state producer of hydropower in 2021; and

WHEREAS, Idaho is rich in renewable energy sources, with its volcanic formations providing one of the best geothermal potentials in the nation, and Idaho is one of seven states with geothermal power capacity; and

WHEREAS, the clean energy sector is a growing part of the economy and has been a key driver of economic growth in Idaho in recent years, supplying nearly 13,000 jobs to Idahoans; and

WHEREAS, research and innovation for cleaner technology use is necessary and is made possible in Idaho thanks to organizations such as the Idaho National Laboratory and the Idaho Clean Energy Association, as well as collaboration with local and state partners; and

WHEREAS, as America celebrates National Clean Energy Week, I encourage individuals and organizations in Idaho to support commonsense solutions that address America's economic and energy needs in the 21st century; and

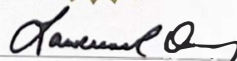
WHEREAS, we must harness the power of Idaho entrepreneurs and small businesses, ensure government collaboration to assert American energy leadership and dominance in the global marketplace, and provide access to low-cost reliable energy here at home;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRAD LITTLE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim September 26-30, 2022, as

National Clean Energy Week

in Idaho, and I encourage all municipalities and individuals to implement the cleanest, lowest-emitting energy technologies available.




LAWRENCE DENNEY
SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 26th day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-two, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred forty-seventh, and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred thirty-third.

BRAD LITTLE
GOVERNOR