



By His Excellency Ned Lamont, Governor: an  
**Official Statement**

*W*HEREAS, reducing our carbon emissions is essential to the health of our planet; and

*W*HEREAS, Connecticut is committed to renewable energy that benefits our economy and environment; and

*W*HEREAS, in 2020, 38% of Connecticut's electricity net generation came from the Millstone nuclear power station. The state had the seventh-highest share of electricity provided by nuclear power in the nation; and

*W*HEREAS, by summer of 2021, 820 megawatts of solar power generating capacity had been installed in Connecticut; and

*W*HEREAS, Biomass fueled about one-third of the state's renewable generation, hydroelectric sources provided about one-fifth, and solar power accounted for about two-fifths, with three-fourths of the power generated by small-scale solar PV; and

*T*HEREFORE, I, Ned Lamont, Governor of the State of Connecticut, do hereby officially proclaim the week of September 26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, to be

# **CLEAN ENERGY WEEK**

in the State of Connecticut.



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ned Lamont".

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GOVERNOR