



The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

Executive Department
State of Idaho

State Capital
Boise

WHEREAS, clean and readily abundant forms of energy are powering more homes and businesses across Idaho than ever before; and

WHEREAS, in 2022, 75% of the electricity generated in Idaho was produced from clean energy sources, the fourth-highest share for any state; and

WHEREAS, Idaho is a national leader in clean energy, with its rivers supplying over half of the net electricity generation; and

WHEREAS, Idaho is rich in clean energy sources, with volcanic formations providing some of the best geothermal potential in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Idaho is one of seven states with utility-scale geothermal generation 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 over 14,000 jobs to Idahoans; and

WHEREAS, research and innovation for cleaner technology use is necessary and is made possible in Idaho thanks to such 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 our nation's economic and energy needs; and

WHEREAS, we must harness the power of Idaho entrepreneurs, businesses, and governments 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 25 – 29, 2023, to be

NATIONAL CLEAN ENERGY WEEK

in Idaho, and I encourage Idaho citizens to recognize this special observance.



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 25th day of September, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred forty-eighth, and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred thirty-fourth.

BRAD LITTLE
GOVERNOR

PHIL MCGRANE
SECRETARY OF STATE