

STATE OF KANSAS



PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the State of Kansas supports an all-inclusive energy portfolio because affordable energy is the backbone of a strong economy; and

WHEREAS, clean energy is part of America's energy future and it includes generation from renewable sources such as hydro, wind, solar, and geothermal, natural gas and carbon capture technologies as well as energy storage; and

WHEREAS, as of 2022, Kansas is the third largest wind power producer in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Kansas is one of the top 10 ethanol-producing states and the state's 12 ethanol plants have a combined capacity of more than 601 million gallons a year; and

WHEREAS, in 2022, renewable resources accounted for 47% of the in-state electricity net generation, with 99% coming from wind power; and

WHEREAS, Kansas is home to over 26,400 clean energy jobs; and

WHEREAS, as of 2022, Kansas is one of the top 15 largest natural gas producing states producing over 148 billion cubic feet a year and supporting over 100,000 Kansas jobs.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Laura Kelly, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim September 25-29, 2023, as

National Clean Energy Week

in the state of Kansas and I urge all citizens to join in this observation.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka
under the Great Seal of
the State this 25th day of
September, A.D. 2023

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Laura Kelly

Scott Sobel

Secretary of State

Sandy Tomph

Assistant Secretary of State