

A Proclamation

Whereas, Massachusetts is committed to renewable energy that benefits our economy and environment; and

Whereas, Reducing our carbon emissions is essential to the health of our planet; and

Whereas, The Commonwealth requires nearly 60% of electricity served to end-use customers to be sourced from clean and renewable energy resources in 2023 via its Clean Energy Standards and Renewable Energy Portfolio standards; and

Whereas, Massachusetts has over 4,000 MW of operational distributed solar projects; and

Whereas, Massachusetts will soon be the home to the first operational commercial scale offshore wind farm in the United States; and

Whereas, The clean energy sector provided almost 122,000 jobs in the state in 2022,

Now, Therefore, I, Maura T. Healey, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim September 25th through September 29th, 2023, to be,

CLEAN ENERGY WEEK

And urge all the residents of the Commonwealth to take cognizance of this event and participate fittingly in its observance.

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this first day of September, in the year two thousand and twenty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred and forty-seventh.

BY HER EXCELLENCY

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