

Proclamation

by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, West Virginians face diverse severe weather threats each year ranging from crippling winter storms to tornadoes and deadly flash flooding; and

Whereas, severe weather impacts every individual in every region of the state, affecting personal lives and the economy on a local and state level; and

Whereas, the loss of life and property during severe weather can be greatly reduced if West Virginians take appropriate preparedness measures before, during and after severe weather strikes; and

Whereas, the West Virginia Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, in cooperation with the National Weather Service and other local, state and federal agencies, is committed to providing severe weather safety preparedness information to citizens throughout the state.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *March 5-9, 2018* as:

Severe Weather Awareness Week

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to join me in this observance by practicing their severe weather emergency plan during the Statewide Tornado Safety drill on Tuesday, March 6, 2018.


In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the First day of March, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Eighteen, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Fifth year of the State.




Jim Justice
Governor

By the Governor:


Mac Warner
Secretary of State