## STATE OF ARIZONA PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Arizona has protected the natural wonders, culture and heritage of the State and supported an innovative, modern economy that attracts and rewards environmentally responsible economic growth; and

WHEREAS, Arizona has maintained an active Pollution Prevention Program for over 30 years which continues to support National Pollution Prevention Week, reducing Arizona facilities' hazardous waste generation and toxic chemical use with operational and process improvements by reducing waste at the source; and

WHEREAS, science-based practices for preventing pollution benefit the public health and environment of Arizona, by protecting the quality of our air, water and land and promoting energy efficiency, water conservation and other best practices for environmental stewardship; and

WHEREAS, when businesses demonstrate environmental stewardship in their processes for providing products and services, the State of Arizona can better conserve its natural resources for future generations and meet the challenges of global economic competitiveness.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 19 –25, 2022 as

## ARIZONA POLLUTION PREVENTION WEEK

and encourage all state agencies, businesses and citizens of Arizona to continue fostering pollution prevention for the benefit of our economy, community and environment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

COVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Two and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Seventh.

ATTEST

SECRETARY OF STATE