STATE OF INDIANA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, Hoosier industries have opportunities to reduce both the use of harmful materials, including toxic materials, and the generation

of environmental wastes and pollutants through changes in production technologies, material selections and operations; and

whereas, such changes offer industry savings through reduced costs in the areas of production, regulatory compliance, liability and

insurance and contribute to technological innovation and

industrial competitiveness; and

WHEREAS, pollution prevention initiatives applied at the point of production

provide the most reliable and effective form of environmental,

public and occupational health protection; and

WHEREAS, forums such as Indiana's Partners for Pollution Prevention can

provide businesses with guidance to overcome barriers that

inhibit the adoption of pollution prevention practices; and

WHEREAS, Indiana industry and IDEM can work together to ensure that

thoughtful environmental action can strengthen both the

economy and the environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim September 17-23, 2023 as

POLLUTION PREVENTION WEEK

in the State of Indiana, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Great Seal of State. Done at the City of Indianapolis, this 17th day of August the year of our Lord 2023 and of the Independence of the United States 248.

BY THE GOVERNOR:

EME Howard