

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, conserving and using energy more efficiently protects South Carolina's valuable natural resources and improves air quality in the Palmetto State; and

WHEREAS, renewable energy development can offer employment and economic opportunities while contributing to a sustainable and more resilient South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, increasing public interest and innovation in energy efficiency, renewable energy, and clean transportation benefits South Carolina's current and future generations; and

WHEREAS, ensuring access to energy supplies at the lowest practical environmental and economic cost benefits the state; and

WHEREAS, increasing energy efficiency and renewable energy development in public and private facilities can represent financial savings to South Carolinians; and

WHEREAS, the State Energy Office advances South Carolina's energy strategy and policy through education, outreach, and funding opportunities; and

WHEREAS, working together, we are *Energy in Action*.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Henry McMaster, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 2023 as

ENERGY ACTION MONTH

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to conserve and use energy more efficiently in their homes, schools, and workplaces.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Henry McMaster".

HENRY McMASTER
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA