



STATE OF TENNESSEE

PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, Registered Dietitian Nutritionists (RDNs) are food and nutrition experts who translate the science of nutrition into practical solutions for healthy living; and

WHEREAS, RDNs hold degrees in nutrition, dietetics, public health, or other related fields from an accredited college or university; additionally, they are required to complete an internship, pass an examination and maintain continuing education; and

WHEREAS, RDNs use their nutrition expertise to help individuals make personalized, positive lifestyle changes; and

WHEREAS, RDNs work throughout the community in hospitals, schools, public health clinics, nursing homes, fitness centers, food management, food industry, universities, research, and private practice; and

WHEREAS, RDNs are advocates for advancing the nutritional status of Tennesseans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee do hereby proclaim March 8, 2023 as

Registered Dietitian Nutritionist (RDN) Day

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this twenty-eighth day of February 2023.

Handwritten signature of Bill Lee in blue ink.

Governor

Handwritten signature of the Secretary of State in blue ink.

Secretary of State