



STATE OF TENNESSEE
PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the prosperity and success of our state depend on the vitality and engagement of our youth; and

WHEREAS, gainful employment is a fundamental aspect of youth development, fostering responsibility, independence, and a strong work ethic; and

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee is committed to providing opportunities for youth to gain valuable employment experience, contributing to their personal growth and the economic well-being of our communities; and

WHEREAS, the Tennessee Youth Employment Program serves as a vital resource, connecting young people with meaningful employment opportunities and equipping them with the skills and knowledge necessary to thrive in the workforce; and

WHEREAS, by promoting youth employment, we invest in the future of our state, empowering young people to reach their full potential and fostering a brighter tomorrow for all Tennesseans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim the month of May, 2024, as

Youth Employment Month

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-ninth day of April, 2024.

Bill Lee

Governor

Julie D. [Signature]

Secretary of State