

STATE OF INDIANA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

# PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

**WHEREAS,** general aviation and community airports play a critical role in the lives of our citizens, as well as in the operation of our businesses and farms; and

**WHEREAS,** the state of Indiana has a significant interest in the continued vitality of general aviation, aircraft manufacturing, aviation educational institutions and community airports; and

**WHEREAS,** many communities in Indiana depend heavily on general aviation and community airports for the continued flow of commerce, tourists and visitors to our state; and

**WHEREAS,** Indiana is home to 127 public-use airports, which, according to the FAA, serve 12,554 pilots and have 4,992 registered aircraft; and

**WHEREAS,** general aviation is vital to many businesses in Indiana that use general aviation aircraft and local airports to increase productivity, reach far-off markets and move personnel, equipment and products;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim December 2022 as**

## GENERAL AVIATION APPRECIATION MONTH

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 13th  
day of December the year of our  
Lord 2022 and of the Independence  
of the United States 247.*



BY THE GOVERNOR:

*Eric Holcomb*