

# The State of Maryland



## Proclamation

*From the Governor of the State of Maryland*  
**GO ORANGE AND HIGHWAY WORKER APPRECIATION DAY**  
**APRIL 19, 2023**

- WHEREAS,** *Maryland is entering a very active transportation construction season, with hundreds of projects underway across this great state; and we can expect to see crews courageously working along our roadways as they help ensure a safe, reliable, and well-maintained highway system that provides paths to opportunity to all; and*
- WHEREAS,** *We must do everything possible to protect all of our team members so they can return home safely to their families at the end of the day; and*
- WHEREAS,** *We also recognize others who work along our roadways, including maintenance workers, traffic engineers, traffic operations personnel, law enforcement officers, and emergency personnel and that we must keep them safe while honoring those who have been injured or lost while working along our roadways; and*
- WHEREAS,** *The color orange is used to alert motorists they are approaching a work zone, and all motorists are asked to Go Orange by slowing down, moving over, staying alert, avoiding distractions and obeying signs and flag persons in work zones to prevent crashes, injuries and deaths involving workers, drivers and passengers.*

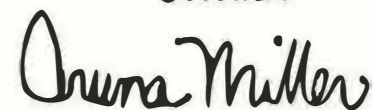
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, WES MOORE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim APRIL 19, 2023 as GO ORANGE AND HIGHWAY WORKER APPRECIATION DAY in Maryland and do commend this observance to all of our citizens.**



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland,  
this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May  
Two Thousand

And twenty-three

  
Governor

  
Lt. Governor

  
Secretary of State

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