

# Proclamation

## by Governor Patrick Morrisey

**Whereas,** equal opportunity in housing is a right guaranteed to all Americans under Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968; and

**Whereas,** the 58th anniversary of the National Fair Housing Law provides an opportunity for all Americans to rededicate themselves to the principle of freedom of choice and to reacquaint themselves with the rights and responsibilities that are theirs under the law; and

**Whereas,** implementation of fair housing policy in West Virginia requires the positive commitment, involvement, and support of each and every one of our citizens; and

**Whereas,** the departments and agencies of the State of West Virginia provide leadership in an effort to make fair housing something that can be realized by all citizens.

**Now, Therefore,** Be it Resolved that I, Patrick Morrisey, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *April 2026* as:

### *Fair Housing Month*

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to support the practice and policy of fair housing in their personal lives, as well as in their workday duties.

**In Witness Whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

**Done** at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the First Day of April, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Six, and in the One Hundred Sixty-Third Year of the State.



*Patrick Morrisey*  
Governor

*By the Governor:*



*Kris Warner*  
Secretary of State