

Proclamation

WHEREAS, experts agree that nutrition status is a direct measure of health and that good nutrition can keep people healthy and out of healthcare institutions; and
WHEREAS, inadequate or unbalanced nutrition, known as malnutrition, is prevalent in many groups, including vulnerable populations such as hospitalized patients, minority populations, and populations with limited resources; and
WHEREAS, disease related malnutrition is a highly prevalent form of malnutrition; and
WHEREAS, malnourished patients have hospital stays that are two times longer than those patients with no malnutrition; and
WHEREAS, Malnutrition Awareness Week is an annual campaign aimed at increasing awareness about malnutrition, its impact, and the importance of early detection and treatment.
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Katie Hobbs, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 8 - 12, 2025, as,

MALNUTRITION AWARENESS WEEK

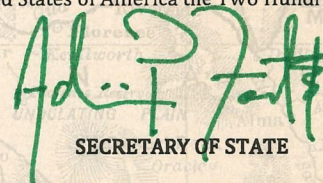
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona



GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eleventh day of August in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Fiftieth.

ATTEST:


SECRETARY OF STATE