

Proclamation

WHEREAS, October is National Energy Awareness Month, and October 30 is designated as National Weatherization Day; and

WHEREAS, the State of Colorado has administered the Weatherization Assistance Program since its inception by the United States Department of Energy in 1976, providing a solution for reducing the heavy energy burden on qualified citizens in every county in the state; and is known as the Colorado Energy Office Weatherization Program; and

WHEREAS, this program uses advanced technologies to improve energy affordability through such measures as increased attic, wall and floor insulation, reduced air leakage, repaired or replaced unsafe furnaces and repaired gas leaks, thus providing a safer and healthier home with improved indoor air quality which can affect other health threats such as asthma; and

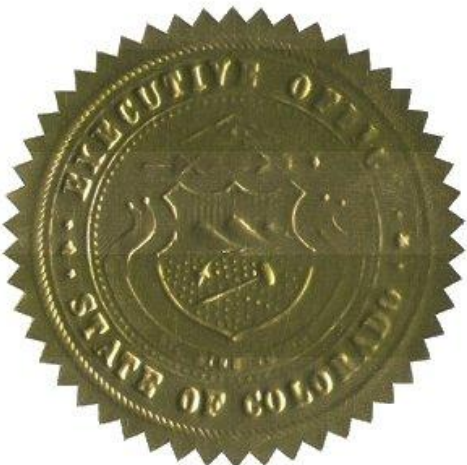
WHEREAS, the Colorado Energy Office Weatherization Program, along with its funding partners, has served over 131,000 homes estimating an annual average of 20 percent energy savings per household; and

WHEREAS, the Weatherization Assistance Program keeps jobs and dollars in local communities by operating through a network of approximately 9 well-trained program providers serving every county in the state;

Therefore, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim October 30, 2013

WEATHERIZATION DAY

in the State of Colorado.



GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this thirtieth day of October, 2013

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John W. Hickenlooper".

*John W. Hickenlooper
Governor*