



RON DeSANTIS
GOVERNOR

MANUFACTURING MONTH IN FLORIDA

WHEREAS, Florida remains a state where businesses are encouraged to grow, and meaningful jobs are created; and

WHEREAS, Florida will continue to prioritize policies that promote economic growth, including lowering taxes, eliminating unnecessary regulation, and investing in education and the environment; and

WHEREAS, Florida is taking steps to diversify its economy and strengthen its workforce by establishing a plan to invest in skills-based education and make Florida number 1 in workforce education by 2030 so companies can continue to draw from an outstanding pool of talent in the Sunshine State; and

WHEREAS, with almost 20,800 manufacturers employing more than 383,950 workers, Florida ranked among the top three states for manufacturing establishments in 2019; and

WHEREAS, as Governor, I will continue to stand with communities across the state as we create goals for economic growth and diversity; and

WHEREAS, Manufacturing Month in Florida is an opportunity to recognize all professionals, agencies, and organizations who bring value to Florida's manufacturing industry and economy.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ron DeSantis, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing October 2020, as *Manufacturing Month in Florida*.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 1st day of October, in the year two thousand twenty.



Governor