

Proclamation

From the Governor of the State of Maryland

BUY LOCAL WEEK JULY 17th- 27th, 2025

WHEREAS, Maryland agriculture and fisheries provide high-quality, local food for all the citizens of this great state and around the world; and

- WHEREAS, Local farmers and watermen link the past to the present and are important to the state's economy, environment, and quality of life for future generations; and
- WHEREAS, The support for Maryland farms and seafood operations is found through its citizens' desire for farmland and coastal areas, and their choices to purchase fresh, locally grown food products, which contribute higher nutrition, better taste, less waste and less pollution; and

WHEREAS, The state of Maryland is committed to promoting local agricultural and seafood enterprises and calls upon all citizens to choose products produced by Marylanders each day during the final full week of July 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WES MOORE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim JULY 17th-27th, 2025, as BUY LOCAL WEEK in Maryland, and do commend this observation to all of our citizens.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, this 17th day of July

Two Thousand

and twenty-five

St. Governor Secretary of State MAN V U 1632