

STATE OF KANSAS



PROCLAMATION
BY THE
GOVERNOR

TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the Kansas dairy industry is a valued member of Kansas agriculture; and

WHEREAS, Kansas dairies contribute to the economy both locally and statewide; and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 211 dairy farms in Kansas and 168,000 dairy cows, which all do their part in ensuring a safe and adequate supply of milk in Kansas; and

WHEREAS, the value of milk produced in Kansas annually is nearly \$700 million dollars; and

WHEREAS, Kansas dairy farms increased milk production in 2021; and

WHEREAS, growth in dairy processing in Kansas means that now 47 percent of the milk produced in the state is processed in the state, adding value here in Kansas; and

WHEREAS, the United States dairy industry recognizes June as National Dairy Month.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Laura Kelly, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby recognize June 2022 as

Kansas Dairy Month

throughout Kansas and urge all citizens to join in the celebration and know that our strong agricultural tradition benefits all Kansans.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka
under the Great Seal of the
State this 3rd day of
June, A.D. 2022

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Laura Kelly

Scott Schuch
Secretary of State

Jennifer Cook
Assistant Secretary of State

