

STATE OF INDIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

- WHEREAS,** every day, millions of parents and caregivers travel to work, school and after-school activities with their children, and while some of those children are riding in correctly installed car seats for their ages and sizes, most are not; and
- WHEREAS,** in 2019, 19 children age 14 and younger were killed while riding in passenger vehicles in Indiana; and
- WHEREAS,** while the annual rate of change for child occupant fatalities has decreased 6.6 percent between 2015 and 2019, further efforts are needed to achieve the goal of zero fatalities in Indiana; and
- WHEREAS,** Indiana has over 100 child passenger fitting stations across the state and more than 1,400 certified child passenger safety technicians who have the knowledge and skills to help; and
- WHEREAS,** Indiana is committed to educating parents and caregivers about the best ways to keep kids safe while traveling in cars, no matter how short or long the trip;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Eric J. Holcomb, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim September 20-26, 2020 as

CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY WEEK

in the State of Indiana, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

*In Testimony Whereof, I hereto
set my hand and cause to be affixed the
Great Seal of State. Done at the
City of Indianapolis, this 8th
day of September the year of our
Lord 2020 and of the Independence
of the United States 245.*



BY THE GOVERNOR:

Eric J. Holcomb