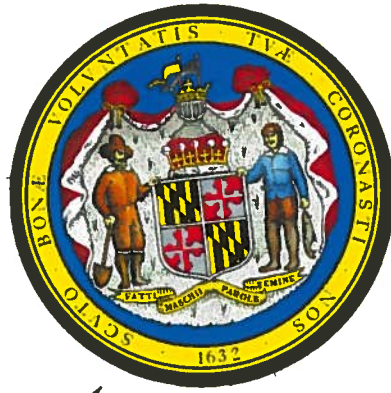


# The State of Maryland



## Proclamation

*From the Governor of the State of Maryland*

### **CRIME VICTIM AND ADVOCATE COMMEMORATIVE DAY APRIL 3, 2021**

**WHEREAS,** On May 22, 2012, HB 776 was signed into law proclaiming April 3, as Crime Victim and Advocate Commemorative Day, an annual observance honoring individuals in Maryland who have become crime victims and the advocates who serve those victims; and

**WHEREAS,** The State of Maryland will observe April 3, 2021 as a day to remember all crime victims and commend the ongoing work of advocates and members of the victim service community; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, LAWRENCE J. HOGAN, JR., GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND,** do hereby proclaim APRIL 3, 2021 as **CRIME VICTIM AND ADVOCATE COMMEMORATIVE DAY** in Maryland, and do commend the observance to all our citizens.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland,  
this 3rd day of April  
Two Thousand and twenty-one

*Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr.*  
Governor

*Robert K. Lutherford*  
Lt. Governor

*John C. Womack*  
Secretary of State