



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, October 8, 2018, is the 18th Anniversary of American Indian Heritage Day in the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, many Alabamians are of American Indian Heritage and through their culture and traditional ways have contributed immeasurably to Alabama's unique diversity; and

WHEREAS, Alabama is the home of nine recognized Tribal Governments, which are to be commended for their leadership in economically supporting state tourism, historical preservation and education through Pow Wows, festivals, motorcycle rides and Indian Education Programs; and

WHEREAS, the State of Alabama wishes to honor Alabama's indigenous people and their contributions to their homeland and for their passion in keeping American Indian culture and history a vibrant part of Alabama's life;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim October 8th, 2018, as

American Indian Heritage

Day

in the State of Alabama.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 24th day of July 2018.

Kay Ivey

Kay Ivey, Governor