

Proclamation

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK

October 24-28, 2022

WHEREAS, the City of Hagerstown's Department of Community and Economic Development is an active member of the Maryland Economic Development Association (MEDA), a non-profit organization established in 1961 whose mission is to enhance the knowledge and skills of its members and to encourage partnerships and networking among those committed to bringing jobs and investment to Maryland; and,

WHEREAS, MEDA members promote the economic well being of Maryland by working to improve the State's business climate and the professionalism of those in the field of economic development including other professionals with an interest in the economy of Maryland, and through its regular meetings, special programs and projects, members address diverse issues; and,

WHEREAS, the economic growth and stability of the State affects all regions and jurisdictions of Maryland, and City of Hagerstown is an important component of the State's economic success.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Emily Keller, Mayor of the City of Hagerstown, Maryland, do hereby proclaim the week of October 24-28, 2022 as ***Economic Development Week*** in Hagerstown, Maryland, and encourage all citizens to recognize and reaffirm the importance of business development locally and statewide.



THE CITY OF HAGERSTOWN

Emily Keller
Mayor

Signed this 18th day of October, 2022