

STATE OF TEXAS OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

"Made in Texas" is a powerful global brand and beacon of innovation characterized by a diverse, advanced, and highly skilled workforce, pro-business environment, and extensive infrastructure that supports large-scale production. It is a symbol of the freedom, opportunity, and creativity that can only be found in our great state. As America's longtime top exporting state, Texas has solidified its status as the manufacturing capital of the nation.

Texas is where today's products are made and tomorrow's technologies are brought to life. Companies are drawn to our state's robust network of transportation infrastructure that allows direct access to domestic and international markets and the ability to easily ship products around the globe. From Tesla and Caterpillar to Samsung and Apple, advanced manufacturing companies consistently choose Texas for innovative, large-scale manufacturing operations. Companies in urban and rural cities alike, such as MGC Pure Chemicals America in Killeen, NTx Bio in Plano, and Schneider Electric in El Paso are expanding production operations across our state and fueling our economy.

Each year, Manufacturing Week celebrates our state's many manufacturers that are critical to our economy, bolster our supply chains, and create new jobs. Texas remains an economic powerhouse, develops the world's most advanced products and technologies, and continues to set new records for job growth due to its manufacturing base. During this observance and throughout the year, I am proud to recognize manufacturing's role in our society and the Texas manufacturers that have kept our state as the top exporter in the nation for 23 years in a row.

At this time, I encourage all Texans to celebrate this vital industry and to learn more about the many career opportunities it provides. During Manufacturing Week and hereafter, let us take pride in and preserve our manufacturing standards as we build a bigger and better Texas.

Therefore, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, do hereby proclaim the period from October 3-10, 2025, to be

Manufacturing Week



in Texas and urge all Texans to observe the occasion with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto affixed my signature this the 12th day of September, 2025.

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Governor of Texas