

STATE OF INDIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
INDIANAPOLIS

Executive Order

PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

- WHEREAS, all Indiana children need and deserve a place to call home where they feel love, support and security; and
- WHEREAS, children who are given permanency and love have better outcomes when they are raised in families where they are provided a solid foundation from which to grow and reach their full potential; and
- WHEREAS, the State of Indiana recognizes the importance of adoption, which gives children safe, loving and forever homes; and
- WHEREAS, more than 190 Indiana children are currently waiting for placement in an adoptive home; and
- WHEREAS, we celebrate and honor families who have been created through the life-changing act of adoption and extend our gratitude and support to those families who open their hearts and homes to children in need

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mike Braun, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim November 1st - 31st, 2025 as

ADOPTION MONTH

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 2nd
day of October the year of our
Lord 2025 and of the Independence
of the United States 249.*



BY THE GOVERNOR:

Mike Braun