

Template Governor's Proclamation Cover Letter

Kids' Chance of [State]
[Address 1]
[City], [State] [Zip]
[Email Address]
[Phone]

[Month, Date, Year]

Re: State of _____ Proclamation

Dear Governor [Name],

Kids' Chance envisions a time when all children affected by a parent's work-related injury or death can complete their education and go on to fulfilling and gainful careers.

In 2021, scholarship applications increased significantly, but we know there are more students in need of assistance. Kids' Chance Awareness Week is a national initiative designed to increase visibility of our mission so we can spread the word about Kids' Chance scholarship opportunities.

We humbly ask that you join other state governors in proclaiming the week of November 7 through November 11 Kids' Chance Awareness Week in our great state of [State]. I have attached a sample version of what could be included as the proclamation for your review.

Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

[Name]
President
Kids Chance of [State]

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Office of the Honorable [John Smith], Governor State of _____ Proclamation

Whereas, the catastrophic injury or death of a parent or guardian can have a devastating emotional and financial impact on the family unit; and

Whereas, when the injury or death resulted from a work-related accident, workers' compensation benefits are often insufficient to allow the children of the worker to pursue their educational dreams; and

Whereas, the State of _____ is fortunate to have Kids' Chance of [State], a 501(c)(3) nonprofit that provides financial scholarships to children of seriously injured workers so that the children can pursue and achieve their educational goals; and

Whereas, Kids' Chance of [State] has awarded scholarships to over _____ kids totaling over \$_____ since its inception in [year]; and

Whereas, Kids' Chance of [State] is one of many Kids' Chance organizations throughout the United States that make a significant difference in the lives of children affected by a workplace injury; and

Whereas, there are likely more students in need of assistance; and

Whereas, November 7-11, 2022, has been designated Kids' Chance Awareness Week in order to increase the visibility of Kids' Chance organizations across the country and to spread the word about Kids' Chance scholarship opportunities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, [John Smith], Governor of the State of _____, do hereby proclaim November 7-11, 2022, as

KIDS' CHANCE AWARENESS WEEK

in [State] and urge all citizens to become familiar with the services and benefits offered by Kids' Chance of [State] in our state, and to support Kids' Chance organizations across the country.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of The State of _____, this ___ day of _____, 2022.