

# City of Indianapolis Office of the Mayor



## PROCLAMATION

*TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:*

**WHEREAS**, this year commemorates the 87<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the National Apprenticeship Act. For decades, Registered Apprenticeships have been a reliable pathway to train workers for good jobs and allow them to earn while they learn. Across Indianapolis, apprentices undertake paid employment opportunities that prepare them for high-demand industries relevant to their coursework and provide them with professional skills; and

**WHEREAS**, apprenticeship programs enable employers to develop and train their future workforce while offering career seekers affordable paths to acquire high-paying jobs, securing the critical talent of our residents, and strengthening our workforce. These experiences allow students to access further equitable educational or career options as they navigate past high school with an assortment of expertise; and

**WHEREAS**, these programs are actively granting employers in Indianapolis applicants who meet their in-demand job criteria with their experience and knowledge which in turn benefit the workforce. Registered Apprenticeships are opportunities for these employers to build next-generation talent in desired industries while simultaneously creating diversified work environments; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Indianapolis joins TechPoint in recognizing the importance of the opportunities Registered Apprenticeship programs provide for individuals entering the workforce;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH H. HOGSETT, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM NOVEMBER 17-23, 2024 AS:

## APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

in the City of Indianapolis, and I ask all citizens to join me in this observation.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE  
HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED  
TO BE AFFIXED THE SEAL OF THE CITY  
OF INDIANAPOLIS ON THIS 17<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF  
NOVEMBER IN THE YEAR TWO  
THOUSAND TWENTY-FOUR.

JOSEPH H. HOGSETT  
MAYOR  
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

