

# STATE OF DELAWARE



## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

### PROCLAMATION IN RECOGNITION OF HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS WEEK

*Whereas*, Hurricane Preparedness Week provides an opportunity for individuals, families, businesses, and communities in Delaware to learn about the risks associated with hurricanes and the importance of preparedness; and

*Whereas*, the Delaware Emergency Management Agency and the National Weather Service continue to collaborate with state, county, and local agencies to plan and prepare for potential impacts from tropical storms and hurricanes; and

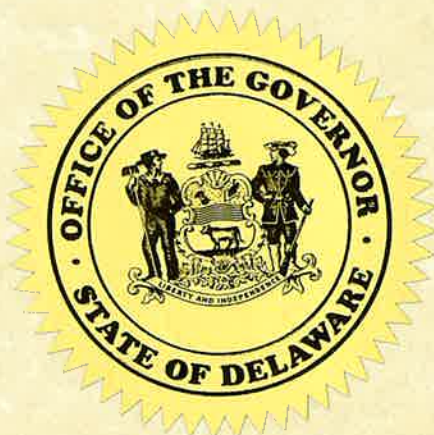
*Whereas*, understanding the potential impacts of hurricanes, including storm surge, high winds, heavy rainfall, and flooding, can help people make informed decisions to protect themselves and their loved ones; and

*Whereas*, effective preparedness measures such as creating emergency supply kits, developing evacuation plans, securing property, and staying informed through trusted sources of information, can help mitigate impacts of hurricanes and save lives; and

*Whereas*, fostering a culture of resilience and preparedness within our Delaware communities is essential to enhancing our ability to withstand and recover from the impacts of hurricanes and other disasters.

*Now, Therefore, I, Matthew Meyer, Governor,*  
do hereby proclaim May 18 to May 22, 2026, as  
**HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS WEEK**

in the State of Delaware, and encourage residents, businesses, and community organizations to take proactive steps to prepare for severe weather emergencies. Through awareness and planning, we can help safeguard our families, homes, and communities.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Matthew Meyer".

Matthew Meyer  
Governor