

STATE OF NEW MEXICO EXECUTIVE OFFICE SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

Proclamation

WHEREAS, purchasing and management professions play a significant role in the efficiency and effectiveness of both government and business; and

WHEREAS, purchasing and material management professionals spend billions of dollars every year and have a significant influence on economic conditions throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico Public Procurement Association Chapter of the National Institute of Governmental Purchasing and other professional purchasing associations engage in special efforts during the month of march to inform the public about the importance of the role played by the purchasing profession in business, industry and government; and

WHEREAS, those purchasing professionals who are certified through the universal public purchasing certification council, which is accredited by the international federation of purchasing and materials management, obtain a certified professional public buyer (CPPB) or certified professional public officer (CPPO) license;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor of the state of New Mexico, do hereby proclaim March 2022 as:

"PURCHASING MONTH"

throughout the state of New Mexico.

Attest:

Margie Inlouse Clin Maggie Bulouse Oliver

Secretary of State

Done at the Executive Office this 31st day of January 2022.

Witness my hand and the Great Seal of the State of New Mexico.

Michelle Lujan Grisham Governor