



WHEREAS, governmental procurement organizations across Colorado are committed to the highest ideals of honor and integrity so as to merit the respect and confidence of state, municipal, county, special district, higher education, school district, or other local government agencies, as well as the public, whom they serve; and

WHEREAS, Colorado provides an environment where all organizations are afforded an equal opportunity to compete for business within state, municipal, county, special district, higher education, school district, or other local-area government agencies; and

WHEREAS, governmental procurement organizations are to be commended for their diligent pursuit of efficiency in the operation of government through their commitment to seek goods and services of the highest value in terms of quality and price so as to maximize the benefits provided to Coloradans;

Therefore, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim, March 2018, as

GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT MONTH

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this first day of March, 2018



John W. Hickenlooper
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Governor