

State of West Virginia
Jim Justice
Governor

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant was born over 200 years ago in Point Pleasant, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant fought gallantly during the Mexican-American War; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant offered his services to the Union cause, and rose to be supreme commander of the Union armies in 1864; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant served as the nation's 18th President of the United States; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant secured the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment, the establishment of the Department of Justice, and the passage of every federal law that enforced equal rights pursuant to the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments prior to the advent of the twentieth century's Civil Rights Movement; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant achieved significant benchmarks in peace, including the successful resolution of disputes with Spain and Great Britain that threatened war. The Treaty of Washington helped establish the principle of international arbitration as a means for the peaceful resolution of major international disputes; and

WHEREAS, President Ulysses S. Grant's dedication and commitment to his country has been an outstanding example to us all.

Now, therefore, I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby bestow the Ulysses S. Grant Association this Certificate of Recognition in honor of his 200th birthday ask citizens to celebrate the memory of President Ulysses S. Grant, to further educate those on his life and legacy, and to advance the highest principles of public service he embodied.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia, the 27th day of April, in the year of our Lord, 2022.



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