

STATE OF MICHIGAN



Executive
Office

Jennifer M. Granholm
Governor

CERTIFICATE OF PROCLAMATION

On behalf of the citizens of Michigan, I, Governor Jennifer M. Granholm,
do hereby proclaim May 11, 2009,

Green Jobs Day

Whereas, The United States has gotten the message that we have to switch to renewable energy and other sustainable technologies to remain economically viable and protect our environment; and,

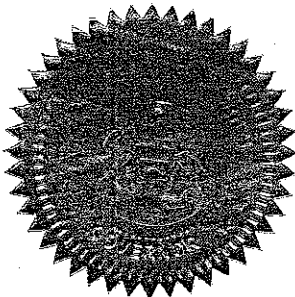
Whereas, Michigan's strong manufacturing and agricultural industries as well as its vast natural resources provide unprecedented opportunities for green job creation; and,

Whereas, The Michigan Green Jobs Initiative is designed to help make sure the emerging industries and green economy have the trained workers they need to grow and prosper; and,

Whereas, The State of Michigan is defining green jobs as all occupations necessary to sustain and grow these emerging sectors; and,

Whereas, There are many different types of Green Jobs, which include but are not limited to alternative energy production and efficiency, green building construction and retrofitting, agriculture, and natural resource conservation; and,

Now, Therefore, be it Resolved, That I, Jennifer M. Granholm, governor of the state of Michigan, do hereby proclaim May 11, 2009, Green Jobs Day in Michigan. I encourage all citizens to explore the idea of green jobs as it is vital to Michigan's growth and prosperity.




Jennifer M. Granholm
Governor