

1 A RESOLUTION recognizing March 18, 2024, as Natural Gas Utility Worker  
2 Appreciation Day in Kentucky.

3 WHEREAS, natural gas utility workers construct, operate, and maintain a network  
4 of natural gas infrastructure assets that provide communities across Kentucky with warm  
5 homes and businesses, and access to cleaner electricity; and

6 WHEREAS, at a moment's notice, these brave men and women work around the  
7 clock in all weather systems and face dangerous conditions in order to maintain the  
8 energy infrastructure of our Commonwealth; and

9 WHEREAS, the provision of natural gas is an essential service, and these crews  
10 worked tirelessly on the front line during the COVID-19 pandemic, ensuring our  
11 communities had safe and reliable energy; and

12 WHEREAS, working in and around roadways is often required of these men and  
13 women, which presents great danger; and

14 WHEREAS, safety is a vital aspect to natural gas transmission and distribution, and  
15 the employees of this industry endeavor to make natural gas delivery as safe as possible;  
16 and

17 WHEREAS, it is important for Kentucky to honor and recognize these workers for  
18 their valuable contributions to the lives of Kentuckians and the success of Kentucky's  
19 economy; and

20 WHEREAS, March 18, 2024, is a national day of recognition known as the  
21 National Natural Gas Workers' Day, and serves to build awareness of the benefits of  
22 natural gas utilities, and about the hard work, dedication, and sacrifices that natural gas  
23 utility workers make every day while on the job;

24 NOW, THEREFORE,

25 ***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the***  
26 ***Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

27 ➔Section 1. The House of Representatives does hereby recognize March 18,

1 2024, as Natural Gas Utility Worker Appreciation Day in Kentucky.

2       ➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in  
3 honor, recognition, and celebration of natural gas utility workers and their service,  
4 dedication, and sacrifice for all Kentuckians.

5       ➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a  
6 copy of this Resolution to Representative Patrick Flannery.