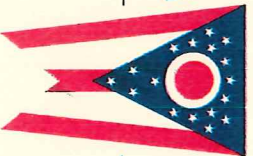


In the Name and by the Authority of
THE STATE OF OHIO



WHEREAS, amateur radio operators play a vital role in emergency communications preparedness plans for the United States, the state of Ohio and many other local government agencies; and

WHEREAS, Ohio has more than 28,000 licensed amateur radio operators, many of whom have provided valuable public assistance through emergency radio communication on a local, statewide, national and international basis in times of need; and

WHEREAS, amateur radio operators donate the time, equipment and expertise to help provide the public with free emergency communications; and

WHEREAS, June 26-27, 2021 have been set aside in Ohio and nationally as amateur radio field day for emergency communications preparedness exercises.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, **Mike DeWine and Jon Husted, Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Ohio**, do hereby recognize June 26-27, 2021 as

**AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS'
APPRECIATION DAYS**

On this 26th day of June 2021.

Mike DeWine
Governor



Jon Husted
Lieutenant Governor