

COUNTY OF FAIRFAX, VIRGINIA

# Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, Energy Efficiency Day is an opportunity to share the transformative benefits of saving energy and continues to be the least expensive, quickest and cleanest way to meet energy needs and reduce utility bills for residential, business and industrial customers, making our homes and workspaces healthier, safer and more comfortable; and

**WHEREAS**, cutting energy waste saves U.S. consumers billions of dollars on utility bills each year, up to \$500 per household from appliance efficiency standards alone; and

**WHEREAS**, implementing energy efficiency and additional clean energy policies and programs can boost economic opportunities and job creation while continuing to move toward a sustainable future; and

**WHEREAS**, improved energy codes for homes and commercial buildings can significantly reduce utility costs and create new jobs;

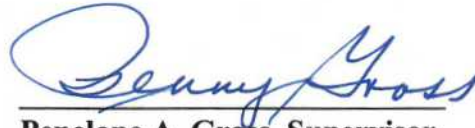
**WHEREAS**, Fairfax County supports increasing the minimum levels of efficiency for new buildings through the adoption of a strict code; **NOW THEREFORE**

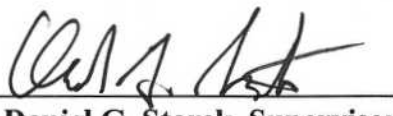
**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of all residents of Fairfax County, does hereby proclaim October 7, 2020, as

## Energy Efficiency Day

in Fairfax County, and urges all residents to work toward energy efficiency now and in the future.

  
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**Jeffrey C. McKay, Chairman**  
Fairfax County Board of Supervisors

  
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**Penelope A. Gross, Supervisor**  
Mason District

  
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**Daniel G. Storck, Supervisor**  
Mount Vernon District



September 29, 2020  
**Date**