



ENERGY EFFICIENCY DAY

WHEREAS, energy efficiency continues to be the cheapest, quickest, and cleanest way to meet our energy needs and reduce utility bills for residential, business, and industrial customers; and

WHEREAS, energy efficiency can also make our homes and workspaces healthier, safer, and more comfortable; and

WHEREAS, smarter energy use reduces the amount of electricity we need to power our lives, which helps avoid power plant emissions that can harm our health, pollute our air, and warm our climate; and

WHEREAS, the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) supports improving the energy performance of new and existing buildings, including through its research, standards, publishing and continuing education; and

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

WHEREAS, together the residents of Lexington can continue to contribute to our sustainability efforts by learning more about energy efficiency and practicing smarter energy use in their daily lives.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, LINDA GORTON, MAYOR OF LEXINGTON,
DO HEREBY DECLARE OCTOBER 5, 2022
ENERGY EFFICIENCY DAY IN LEXINGTON.**

Linda Gorton
MAYOR

