

STATE OF MICHIGAN



CERTIFICATE OF PROCLAMATION

ON BEHALF OF THE PEOPLE OF MICHIGAN
I, Rick Snyder, governor of Michigan, do hereby proclaim
September 25, 2013 – October 5, 2013 as

INDEPENDENT RETAILERS WEEK

WHEREAS, the Independent Retailers in Michigan have always been dedicated to the public in their delivery of services in the market place throughout the State of Michigan by assuring customer satisfaction, providing food access and gasoline services in many communities and neighborhoods of Michigan that have traditionally been hard pressed to find such necessary services.

WHEREAS, the Independent Retailers throughout Michigan contribute to the well-being of the State and the strength of its economy through employment opportunities in the neighborhoods they serve, to the time and talent they dedicate to their jobs.

WHEREAS, the Independent Retailers in Michigan, businesses owned by our friends and neighbors, give back to the community with their goods and service, enriching the community members' shopping experience with their dedication, and, additionally, with philanthropic contributions in those same communities.

WHEREAS, the Independent Retailers in Michigan, working together with area farmers, have made the most of our state's wide agricultural resources, recognizing their importance by selling locally produced goods throughout their stores.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Snyder, Governor of Michigan, do hereby proclaim the Sunday September 25, 2013 – October 5, 2013, as Independent Retailers Week in the State of Michigan, in Recognition of the dedication, service and contributions that the Independent Retailers make to the communities and the neighborhoods they serve throughout the Great State of Michigan.

Rick Snyder
Governor

