

# STATE OF KANSAS



## PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

**WHEREAS**, excellence in education is vital to the success of our nation and state; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chabad Lubavitch movement, under the leadership of the Lubavitcher Rebbe, Rabbi Menachem M. Schneerson, has illustrated the importance of education and good character, through the establishment of over 5000 educational and social institutions in all 50 states in the USA and in 100 countries on six continents; and

**WHEREAS**, the Rebbe taught that education should include not only the acquisition of knowledge and preparation for a career, but must pay more attention to the building of character, with emphasis on the moral and ethical that are the bedrock of society from the dawn of civilization, when they were known as the Seven Noahide Laws; and

**WHEREAS**, the Rebbe promoted education and tolerance throughout the sunflower State by establishing a network of Chabad Centers, promoting educational values, and uniting all citizens for the common purpose of making the world a better place; and

**WHEREAS**, we honor the legacy of Rabbi Schneerson, and the work of work of Chabad of Kansas, in recognition of the establishment of "Education and Sharing Day" by the US Senate on the anniversary of the Rebbe's birth, in tribute to his valuable contribution in teaching the next generation of Americans the values that make our country strong; and

**WHEREAS**, the character of our young people is strengthened by serving a cause greater than self, and by instilling a spirit of service in our children, we create a more optimistic future for them and our State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JEFF COLYER, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018 as

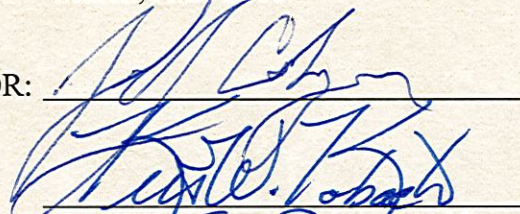
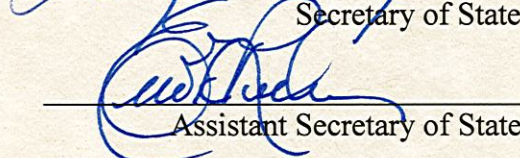
### EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY

in Kansas and call upon government officials, educators and citizens to reach out to young people and work to create a better, brighter, and more hopeful future for all.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka  
under the Great Seal of  
the State this 19th day of  
March, A.D. 2018

BY THE GOVERNOR:



  
Secretary of State  
  
Assistant Secretary of State