

Proclamation



AIR QUALITY AWARENESS WEEK

MAY 1-5, 2023

WHEREAS, Air Quality Awareness Week encourages District of Columbia residents and community-based organizations to partner with our Department of Energy and Environment (DOEE) to work toward clean air for all District residents; and

WHEREAS, the District is one of ninety-six C40 Climate Leadership Group cities worldwide, committed to fighting the global climate crisis and to achieving World Health Organization air quality standards; and

WHEREAS, the District is committed to augmenting its federal air monitoring network with an additional monitoring station in Ward 8, cutting-edge mobile air quality monitoring, and a stationary air sensor network for overburdened communities; and

WHEREAS, we are committed to ensuring that public health and air quality initiatives are introduced equitably across all eight wards to promote improved health for every resident of our city:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THE MAYOR OF WASHINGTON, DC, do hereby proclaim May 1-5, 2023, as "AIR QUALITY AWARENESS WEEK" in Washington, DC.

A handwritten signature of Muriel Bowser in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

