

## 2023-K2442

Assembly Resolution No. 2442

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MEMORIALIZING Governor Kathy Hochul to proclaim  
October 2024, as Careers in Construction Month in  
the State of New York

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body to recognize  
official months that are set aside to increase public awareness and  
appreciation of professionals who work in New York State; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and in full accord with its  
long-standing traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud to  
memorialize Governor Kathy Hochul to proclaim October 2024, as Careers  
in Construction Month in the State of New York, in conjunction with the  
observance of National Careers in Construction Month; and

WHEREAS, Careers in Construction Month is an annual month designated  
to increase public awareness and appreciation of construction craft  
professionals and the entire construction workforce; and

WHEREAS, During this month, employers, associations and schools are  
encouraged to conduct job fairs, panel discussions, and local community  
events to inform students of the vast employment opportunities in  
construction; and

WHEREAS, The construction industry is one of our nation's largest  
industries and is the backbone of all U.S. infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, As of January 2023, approximately 7.8 million people are employed by the construction industry, which makes up about 2.9% of the U.S. workforce; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is pleased to honor the construction craft professionals and the critical role they play in the development of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to memorialize Governor Kathy Hochul to proclaim October 2024, as Careers in Construction Month in the State of New York; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to The Honorable Kathy Hochul, Governor of the State of New York.