

Executive Department

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Columbus

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, safety is a major concern for realtors and real-estate agents and according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 71 real-estate professionals died on the job last year, 30 of them as homicide victims; and

WHEREAS, it is important that real-estate agents continue to be reminded of the importance of working smart, staying safe and remaining diligent about their surroundings when performing their job duties; and

WHEREAS, I commend the Ohio Association of Realtors, the Ohio Real Estate Commission, the Ohio Division of Real Estate and Professional Licensing, and Columbus State Community College for joining forces in 2003 to create a program dedicated to the promotion of safety awareness within the real estate industry; and

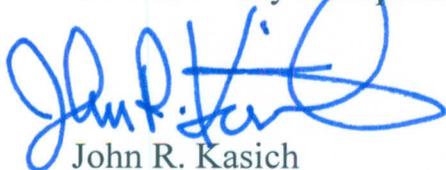
WHEREAS, the collaborative effort to educate real-estate agents is a testament to Ohio's unending commitment to real estate safety by reminding Realtors every September to always *be on the safe side*.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John R. Kasich, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby designate September 2011 as

REAL ESTATE SAFETY MONTH

throughout Ohio and I encourage all Ohioans, especially Realtors, to remember the importance of working smart, staying safe and remaining diligent about their surroundings when performing their job duties

On this 1st day of September, 2011;



John R. Kasich
Governor

