

STATE OF OHIO

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OPTICIANS MONTH IN OHIO JUNE 2009

Healthy vision and good eyesight are important elements in the overall quality of life for all our citizens;

the pace of technological improvements in vision aids continues to accelerate;

expert guidance is essential for consumers to assure correct and effective choices in eyewear to overcome vision deficiencies and safeguard their sight;

Ohio's opticians provide that expertise to assure that the prescriptions written by eye doctors for corrective vision aids are filled accurately and effectively;

Ohio's opticians are important members of our small business community, providing the competitive balance that keeps eyewear within the reach of all our citizens;

the Opticians Association of Ohio and their national organization, the Opticians Association of America, join together to focus attention on the importance of good vision health and safety;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ted Strickland, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby recognize JUNE 2009 as:

Opticians Month in Ohio

to focus attention on the importance of good vision health and safety, and encourage all citizens to take note of the role of dispensing opticians in safeguarding and promoting good vision for all.



Ted Strickland

Governor