



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## A PROCLAMATION RONALD REAGAN DAY

- WHEREAS: President Ronald Wilson Reagan, a man of humble background, worked throughout his entire life serving freedom and advancing the public good, having worked as an entertainer, union leader, corporate spokesman, Governor of California and President of the United States of America; and
- WHEREAS: Ronald Reagan served with honor and distinction for two terms as the 40<sup>th</sup> President of the United States; and
- WHEREAS: During Mr. Reagan's presidency he worked in a bipartisan manner to enact his bold agenda of restoring accountability and common sense to government, which led to an unprecedented economic expansion and opportunity for millions of Americans; and
- WHEREAS: President Reagan's commitment to our armed forces contributed to the restoration of American strength, pride in her values and those cherished by the free world, and prepared America's military to meet 21<sup>st</sup> Century challenges; and
- WHEREAS: President Reagan's vision of "peace through strength" led to the end of the Cold War and the ultimate demise of the Soviet Union, guaranteeing basic human rights for millions of people; and
- WHEREAS: February 6, 2012, will be the 101<sup>st</sup> anniversary of Ronald Reagan's birth, and the eighth since his passing; now
- THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim February 6, 2012, as RONALD REAGAN DAY in Georgia and encourage our citizens to commemorate this day with appropriate ceremonies and celebrations in honor of our nation's 40<sup>th</sup> President.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand twelve.



*Nathan Deal*

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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CHIEF OF STAFF