

## BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## **A PROCLAMATION**

## TRAILER SAFETY WEEK

WHEREAS:

It is crucial to ensure that trailers are being towed safely for the sake of all of the

drivers on the roads; and

WHEREAS:

There are many new trailer users on the roadways, as evidenced by the fact that

RV sales in some areas of the country have increased 170 percent over what

they had been at this same time last year; and

WHEREAS:

The light and medium duty trailer industry has been consistently building more

than 1,000,000 new units per year since 2017; and

WHEREAS:

Trailer usage is a growing trend as demonstrated by the Recreational Vehicle Industry Association (RVIA) data showing that North American RV sales rose 4.5 percent in 2020 to 424,400 units. The light and medium duty trailer industry

expanded sales by 6 percent to 1,167,899 units; and

WHEREAS:

National Association of Trailer Manufacturers' (NATM) Trailer Safety Week reaches over 90,000 individuals each year and is the first nationwide traffic safety initiative aimed at addressing safe towing practices for light and medium duty trailers; now

THEREFORE:

I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim June 6-12, 2021, as TRAILER SAFETY WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.



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ATTEST

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