



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

ENVIRONMENTAL HEATH PROFESSIONALS WEEK

- WHEREAS:** Georgia is richly blessed with natural resources and diverse ecosystems of mountains, the piedmont, coastal plains, barrier islands, and rivers connecting the mountains to the sea, and protecting these resources is essential to our great State; and
- WHEREAS:** Environmental Health professionals work in programs to protect the public's health, including programs that focus on food safety, land use, tourist accommodations, public pools, community hygiene, safe drinking water, chemical hazards, lead poisoning prevention, infectious agents, and emergency preparedness; and
- WHEREAS:** Environmental Health professionals protect the well-being of citizens and visitors to Georgia by assuring that the environmental conditions in which people live, work, and play are healthy and safe; and
- WHEREAS:** The work of Environmental Health professionals is important to the State of Georgia and helps protect the health of all Georgia residents, and encourages maintenance, conservation, and appreciation of our natural resources; and
- WHEREAS:** It is an honor and a privilege to recognize our environmental health professionals as they continue to keep Georgia beautiful and safe; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim August 26-30, 2024, as ENVIRONMENTAL HEATH PROFESSIONALS WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 18th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Laura M. Curry

CHIEF OF STAFF