



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

ENGINEER WEEK

- WHEREAS:** Engineers use their scientific skills and specialized knowledge in creative and innovative ways to fulfill society's needs; and
- WHEREAS:** Engineers help solve major technological challenges of our time - from designing efficient building systems to rebuilding towns devastated by natural disasters; and
- WHEREAS:** Engineering has been called the invisible or stealth profession because things we use every day have been engineered in some way, yet we may not see the engineers behind the scenes or know much about engineering; and
- WHEREAS:** First observed in 1951, National Engineers Week is dedicated to ensuring a diverse and well-educated future engineering workforce by increasing understanding of, and interest in, engineering and technology careers; and
- WHEREAS:** National Engineers Week is a coalition of more than 70 engineering, education, and cultural societies with more than 50 corporations and government agencies dedicated to raising public awareness of engineer's positive contributions to quality of life; and
- WHEREAS:** National Engineers Week promotes recognition among parents, teachers, and students of the importance of a technical education and a high level of math, science and technology literacy, motivating young people to pursue engineering careers to provide a diverse and vigorous engineering workforce; and
- WHEREAS:** The American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) sets standards for the heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration industry. The State of Georgia joins the Atlanta Chapter of ASHRAE in acknowledging engineers across Georgia, and recognizing the important work they do to build and support our communities; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim February 16-22, 2025, as ENGINEER WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 21st day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Five.



B. P. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Laura M. Curry

CHIEF OF STAFF