



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

CLEAN ENERGY WEEK

- WHEREAS:** Clean and abundant forms of energy are beginning to power more homes and businesses in the State of Georgia than ever before; and
- WHEREAS:** Georgia is a national leader in biomass production, and communities across our state depend on many forms of clean energy, including nuclear production at four state plants, natural gas, and commercial and residential solar power installations; and
- WHEREAS:** Georgia leads the nation in wood pellet exports, which accounts for more than one-third of total American production; and
- WHEREAS:** Georgia's clean energy sector is an increasingly important industry to our state's economy, and it employs more than 76,000 individuals; and
- WHEREAS:** Clean energy jobs are inherently local as construction, installation, and maintenance are all carried out on-site; and
- WHEREAS:** During Clean Energy Week, Georgians are encouraged to learn more about our state's energy needs and to implement clean, low-emitting energy technologies when available; and
- WHEREAS:** Collaboration among Georgia's entrepreneurs, small businesses, municipalities, and state and local entities is necessary to promote America's energy dependence in the global marketplace and to assure that low-cost, reliable energy is available here at home; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim September 23-27, 2019 as CLEAN ENERGY WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 12th day of September in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



B. P. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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