BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

CITY OF COLBERT'S 50TH ANNUAL JULY 4TH CELEBRATION

WHEREAS: On July 4, 1969, the City of Colbert held its first barbecue as a means of funding beautification projects, and the celebration has since become a tradition; and

WHEREAS: July 4, 2019 will mark the fiftieth year that the community has come together to celebrate Independence Day; and

WHEREAS: The Colbert Lion's Club, Colbert Baptist Church, Colbert Fire Department, Mayor of Colbert, council members, and other staff and volunteers work tirelessly each year to plan these celebrations; and

WHEREAS: Colbert's community members devote their time and talents to providing barbecue, entertainment, vendors, and many activities, including one of the best parades held in the northeast Georgia region; and

WHEREAS: The active participation of these community members extends beyond this annual celebration, allowing for the City of Colbert and its surrounding communities to thrive; and

WHEREAS: Colbert's fiftieth celebration of our country will focus on its roots by honoring the area farmers and the agricultural communities; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim July 4, 2019 as CITY OF COLBERT'S 50TH ANNUAL JULY 4TH CELEBRATION in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 25th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

GOVERNOR

ATTEND

CHIEF OF STAFF