



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

CAREERS IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK

- WHEREAS: The construction industry is one of our nation's largest industries, employing 5 million individuals in the United States alone; and
- WHEREAS: During this year's Careers in Construction Week, employers, trade associations, and schools are encouraged to conduct job fairs, panel discussions and local community events to inform students of the wide variety of employment opportunities in construction; and
- WHEREAS: The National Center for Construction Education and Research was created by the construction industry to standardize training and enhance the industry image by promoting the hard work and dedication of our nation's craft professionals. The Center is supported by 32 national associations and their state chapters, representing more than 150,000 contractor employers; and
- WHEREAS: These organizations, such as the Construction Education Foundation of Georgia, are leading the way in providing young people with career opportunities while increasing the quality of the future workforce; and
- WHEREAS: Careers in Construction Week is designed to increase public awareness and appreciation of the construction craft professional and the entire construction workforce. Georgia is pleased to honor construction craft professionals and the critical role they play in the development of our great state; now
- THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim October 26 - October 30, 2015, as CAREERS IN CONSTRUCTION WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 3rd day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand fifteen.



Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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