



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

U.S. MARSHALS DAY

WHEREAS: On September 24, 1789, an Act to establish the Judicial Court of the United States directed the appointment of United States Marshals and launched the United States Marshals Service; and

WHEREAS: Over the course of 225 years of service, United States Marshals have executed warrants, distributed presidential proclamations, registered enemy aliens in times of war, helped conduct the national census, protected the president and the federal courts, provided for the custody and transportation of federal prisoners, maintained and disposed of seized and forfeited properties, ensured the safe conduct of judicial proceedings, protected federal judges and jurors as well as other members of the federal judiciary, provided for the security of witnesses, and directed and coordinated fugitive task forces to apprehend dangerous fugitives; and

WHEREAS: The men and women of the United States Marshals Service have served the nation and our state valiantly with dedication to justice, integrity, and service; and

WHEREAS: As we celebrate more than two centuries of U.S. Marshal service to and protection of the United States, we extend our deep gratitude to all the brave men and women who have rendered selfless devotion to the field of public safety; now

THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim September 24, 2014, as U.S. Marshals Day in Georgia in commemoration of the 225th anniversary of the United States Marshals Service.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 24th day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand fourteen.



Nathan Deal
GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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