



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

ASIAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

- WHEREAS:** Asian-Americans have made significant contributions to the collective heritage and quality of life in the State of Georgia. The Peach State is fortunate to be home to so many with Asian-American heritage. According to the U.S. Census, this community is one of the most diverse and fastest-growing groups in the United States; and
- WHEREAS:** Asian-Americans have contributed to all facets of life in Georgia, including arts, culture, heritage and history preservation, the sciences, government, business, education, philanthropies, and religion; and
- WHEREAS:** Asian-Americans are known for their family values, family integrity, and commitment to education, excellence, and entrepreneurship; and
- WHEREAS:** Asian-Americans contribute immensely to the diversity and the rich fabric of Georgia and our nation; and
- WHEREAS:** During the observance of Asian-American Heritage Month, we celebrate the traditions, history, cuisine, and native languages represented by Asian-Americans as well as their economic and cultural contributions both across our country and right here in Georgia; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim May 2019 as ASIAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH 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 May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Trinity K. Fleming

CHIEF OF STAFF