



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

GEORGIA PROCUREMENT CONFERENCE WEEK

- WHEREAS:** The State Purchasing Division of the Department of Administrative Services and procurement staff in agencies, universities, technical colleges, and local government provide dedicated service to the acquisition of needed materials and services for Georgia's citizens; and
- WHEREAS:** Suppliers have partnered with the Department of Administrative Services' State Purchasing Division to provide valuable statewide contracts to further enhance the value of the services and materials received; and
- WHEREAS:** The Georgia Procurement Conference is the state's premier annual conference for leading-edge procurement business practices and techniques, inspiring progress through education, excellence, and fostering a community of collaboration; and
- WHEREAS:** The 2019 Georgia Procurement Conference theme, "Engaging to Serve," is dedicated to continued networking between procurement professionals and suppliers and fostering new relationships with small businesses statewide; and
- WHEREAS:** The citizens of Georgia are grateful for the commitment of the State Purchasing Division, the government procurement professionals, and suppliers statewide that provide valued materials and services; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim April 22-26, 2019, as GEORGIA PROCUREMENT CONFERENCE 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 April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

T. K. Fleming

CHIEF OF STAFF