



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## A PROCLAMATION

### SAFETY MONTH

- WHEREAS:** The rates of unintentional injuries and deaths in the United States remain at unacceptable levels; and
- WHEREAS:** Injuries and deaths from falls, motor vehicle crashes, poisonings, and emergencies are leading causes of preventable injuries and deaths; and
- WHEREAS:** Georgia residents deserve to live in communities that promote safe and healthy living; and
- WHEREAS:** Preventing unintentional injuries and deaths requires the cooperation of government, employers, and the general public; and
- WHEREAS:** The Southeastern Chapter of the National Safety Council works to promote practices and procedures that lead to increased safety, protection, and health in homes, businesses, schools, and communities; and
- WHEREAS:** The summer season is a time of increased rates of unintentional injuries and deaths, prompting this recognized focus on injury risks and prevention tactics; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim June 2019 as SAFETY MONTH in Georgia and encourage Georgians to practice safe and healthy behaviors in all aspects of their lives.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



*B. P. Kemp*

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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