

## **PUBLIC WORKS WEEK**

WHEREAS: Public works infrastructure, facilities and services are of vital importance to the health, safety and well-being of the people of this state; and

WHEREAS: Such facilities and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of public works professionals, engineers and administrators, representing state and local units of government, who are responsible for and must design, build, operate and maintain the systems, public buildings and other structures and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

WHEREAS: It is in the public interest for the citizens and civic leaders of this state to be informed about and maintain a progressive interest in the public works needs and programs of their respective communities; now

THEREFORE: I, SONNY PERDUE, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim May 18-24, 2003, as PUBLIC WORKS WEEK in Georgia and urge citizens to recognize the substantial contribution these services have made to our health and welfare.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 22nd day of May in the year of our Lord two thousand three.

