

A Proclamation
By
Governor Ronnie Musgrove

WHEREAS, two years ago, on September 11, the United States was attacked on its own soil for the first time since World War II; and

WHEREAS, in response to the unfathomable attacks, Americans responded with compassion and loyalty to each other and a renewed sense of patriotism; and

WHEREAS, in honor of the heroes of September 11 and those who continue to place their lives on the line for the safety of all Americans, the State of Mississippi will carry out the following acts of remembrance and honor:

- **We request a moment of silence at precisely 7:46 a.m., Thursday, September 11, 2003, to honor the victims of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001; and**
- **We encourage all Mississippians to give blood to honor those who died and those who continue to serve in the line of duty.**

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, hereby proclaim September 11, 2003, as

A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE

in the State of Mississippi.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Mississippi to be affixed.

DONE in the City of Jackson, September 3, 2003, in the two hundred and twenty-seventh year of the United States of America.

RONNIE MUSGROVE
GOVERNOR