A Proclamation By Governor Ronnie Musgrove

WHEREAS, public works infrastructure, facilities and services are of vital importance to the health, safety and well-being of the people of Mississippi; 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 transportation, water supply, sewage and refuse disposal 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 country to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest in the public works needs and programs of their respective communities; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, hereby proclaim the week of May 19 through May 25, 2002, as

NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

in the State of Mississippi urge all Mississippians to join with representatives of governmental agencies and the American Public Works Association in activities and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our public works professionals, engineers and administrators, and to recognize the substantial contributions they have made to our national health and welfare.

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, February 18, 2002, in the two hundred and twenty-fifth year of the United States of America.

RONNIE MUSGROVE GOVERNOR