

A Proclamation
by
Governor Ronnie Musgrove

WHEREAS, there are thousands of fire and police professionals in the State of Mississippi; and;

WHEREAS, these officers provide protection and life-saving services on a daily basis to benefit Mississippi residents; and

WHEREAS, communities throughout Mississippi should honor and recognize these unsung heroes of public safety; and

WHEREAS, both public safety officers and residents benefit from activities that increase communication, understanding and appreciation of the many services provided by these officers; and

WHEREAS, it is important that all citizens do what they can to educate our youth about public safety professionals and increase interaction, communication and understanding of the practices and programs offered by police and fire professionals in their community; and;

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to set aside a day to extend our appreciation and respect for the public safety workers who serve us locally, statewide and internationally as heroes who put their lives on the line everyday to serve and protect;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, hereby proclaim June 9, 2000 as

PUBLIC SAFETY DAY

in the State of Mississippi, in an effort to save more lives through a better informed, safer public, and invite all citizens to take due note of the observance.

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, June 7, 2000
in the two hundred and twenty-fourth year of
the United States of America.

RONNIE MUSGROVE
GOVERNOR

