

State of South Carolina
Proclamation
by
Governor Jim Hodges

WHEREAS, 911 systems provide a simple, accessible way for citizens to obtain police, fire, and/or emergency medical services during an emergency; and

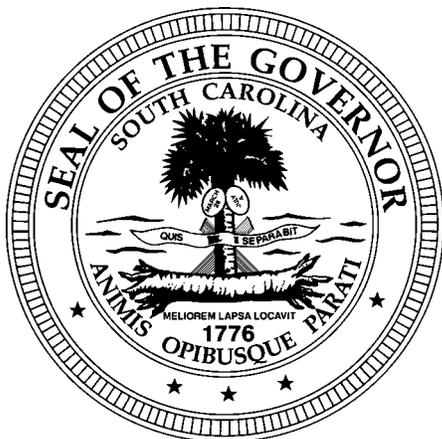
WHEREAS, when citizens dial 911, their calls are automatically routed to the correct public safety answering point which serves their geographic region, ensuring a quick response that can reduce injuries and save lives; and

WHEREAS, the dedicated men and women who support South Carolina's 911 emergency system as emergency dispatchers provide life-saving duties that help ensure the health and safety of our citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Hodges, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim September 9 – 15, 2001, as

SOUTH CAROLINA 911 WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to honor emergency dispatchers for their efforts to protect human life, preserve property, and maintain the general safety of our citizens.



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