

State of South Carolina
Proclamation
by
Governor Jim Hodges

WHEREAS, created in 1995, the Veterans Trust Fund of South Carolina is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life of veterans throughout the Palmetto State; and

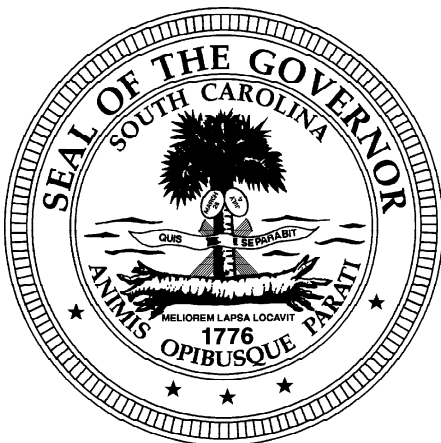
WHEREAS, the Veterans Trust Fund of South Carolina assists with transportation initiatives to and from VA hospitals, helps establish memorials honoring veterans, supports educational scholarships, and contributes to established homeless veterans programs; and

WHEREAS, the 2001 observance of "Veterans Trust Fund of South Carolina Day" provides a unique opportunity for citizens throughout the Palmetto State to join together in support and appreciation of the many contributions made by our veterans to the preservation of the American way of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Hodges, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim January 16, 2001, as

VETERANS TRUST FUND OF SOUTH CAROLINA DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize the positive impact of the Veterans Trust Fund of South Carolina on the quality of life of veterans throughout the Palmetto State.



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