

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, Theta Phi Alpha is a national women's social fraternity founded on August 30, 1912, at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Theta Phi Alpha is to create close comradeship, to advance educational, social, and philanthropic interests and leadership training; to encourage spiritual development and adherence to the highest moral standards; and to promote lifelong bonds of friendship; and

WHEREAS, Theta Phi Alpha is committed to improving the quality of life for others and, through its support of the national philanthropic causes "The House that Theta Phi Alpha Built" and the Camp Friendship program of Glenmary Home Missions, members support local efforts to ease the plight of the homeless and provide assistance to those in need; and

WHEREAS, Theta Phi Alpha sisters in the Palmetto State and across the nation have maintained a history rich in educational excellence, professional achievement, and social service.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim August 30, 2012, as

THETA PHI ALPHA DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize Theta Phi Alpha for 100 years of friendship, service, and leadership development.



Handwritten signature of Nikki R. Haley in black ink.

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA