

State of South Carolina

Proclamation

by

Governor Jim Hodges

WHEREAS, in response to the events of September 11th, countless students from across South Carolina have exhibited outstanding compassion and dedicated patriotism in support of our fellow Americans; and

WHEREAS, these young people have offered their prayers, concern, and contributions to help the victims of this tragedy and their families as they work to rebuild their lives and move forward; and

WHEREAS, students throughout the State of South Carolina have participated in schoolwide activities, including bake sales, car washes, sporting events, and dime drives, to raise funds to help meet the needs of the victims and their families as they recover from the shock and trauma of the monstrous acts of terrorism America has witnessed; and

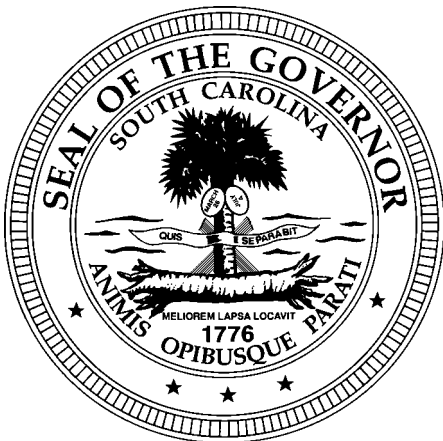
WHEREAS, through their cooperative efforts, the students of the Palmetto State have raised hundreds of thousands of dollars to assist the families, communities, rescue workers and leaders in New York and Washington; and

WHEREAS, all South Carolinians can take great pride in knowing that the collective efforts of our students have energized and unified the citizens of the Palmetto State in support of our country and our fellow Americans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Hodges, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim November 28, 2001, as

SOUTH CAROLINA STUDENTS CARE DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize South Carolina students for their collective strength, compassion, and dedication to the American spirit.



A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Hodges".

Jim Hodges
Governor
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