

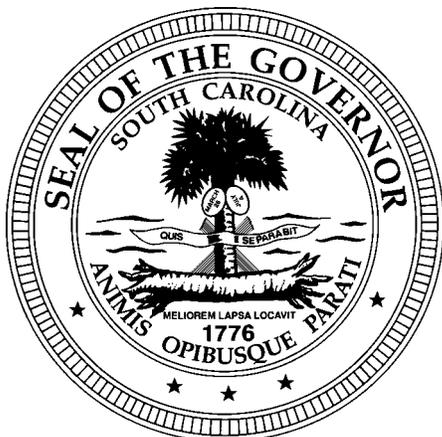
State of South Carolina
Proclamation
by
Governor Jim Hodges

- WHEREAS,** an RV is a vehicle that combines transportation and temporary living quarters for travel, recreation and camping; and
- WHEREAS,** one out of every ten vehicle-owning households in the United States has an RV or conversion vehicle, with an estimated 30 million RV enthusiasts in the United States; and
- WHEREAS,** RVs provide a convenient, hassle-free way to see America, offering travelers the freedom and flexibility to enjoy mountains, beaches, parks, popular tourist attractions and small towns whenever they want, without giving up the comforts of home; and
- WHEREAS,** with fully-equipped kitchens and baths, rooms that slide out at the touch of a button, central air and heat, TVs, VCRs, surround-sound stereos and more, today's RVs provide travelers with all the amenities of home while on the road or at the campground; and
- WHEREAS,** families that frequently vacation by RV report that it fosters an increased sense of togetherness and helps improve family communication; and
- WHEREAS,** in addition to travel, camping and outdoor recreation, RVs are being used year-round for a wide variety of other purposes, including shopping, tailgate parties at sporting events, pursuing special interests like horse, dog and antique shows and other hobbies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Hodges, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim April 15 – 21, 2002, as

RV WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to learn more about the benefits of RV travel.



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