

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, community corrections plays an essential role in the justice system; and

WHEREAS, upholding the law with dignity while recognizing the right of the public to be safe-guarded from criminal activity, community corrections professionals are responsible for supervising adult and juvenile offenders in the community; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals work in partnership with community agencies and groups to promote prevention, intervention, and advocacy for community and restorative justice; and

WHEREAS, providing services and referrals for offenders as well as services, support, and protection for victims, community corrections professionals are a dedicated *Force for Positive Change* in their communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim July 17-23, 2016, as

PROBATION AND PAROLE SUPERVISION WEEK

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to honor our community supervision professionals and to recognize their achievements.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA