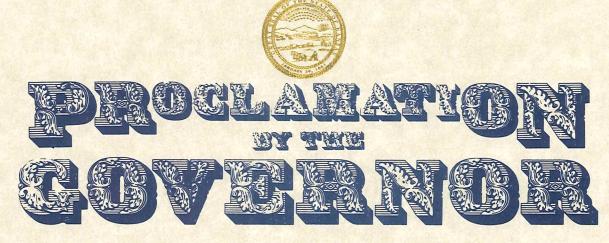
STATE OF KANSAS



TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the State of Kansas and the citizens of our great state join with our fellow Americans across the nation in honoring and remembering those who lost their lives in the horrific terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the events of that day unified the nation against terrorism and threats to the safety and security of the United States and strengthened our resolve to do anything in our power to prevent further tragedies from ever happening again; and

WHEREAS, we commend the firefighters, police, first responders, and ordinary citizens who courageously risked their lives that fateful day, and we honor the men and women of our Armed Forces who have fought tirelessly for the past twenty years to keep us safe from further attacks in our homeland; and

WHEREAS, today we remember the lives that were lost, honor the heroic actions taken by our first responders, and thank the members of our military for their continued service and sacrifice.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Laura Kelly, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim the September 11, 2021, as

SERVICE AND REMEMBRANCE DAY

in Kansas and I encourage all citizens to participate in community service and observe this day with appropriate ceremonies and activities, including remembrance services, to honor the innocent victims who perished as a result of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka under the Great Seal of the State this 11th day of September, A.D. 2021

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Secretary of State

Assistant Secretary of State

