

A Resolution Of The State Transportation Board

WHEREAS, the employees of the Georgia Department of Transportation are sincerely appreciated for their tireless service provided during unparalleled winter weather events the weeks of January 27, 2014 and February 10, 2014; and

WHEREAS, these employees represented the Department with unwavering commitment to the welfare of the state and its citizens, and exhibited complete dedication to their work, selflessly performing valuable and vital services for all. Working day after day on interstates and state routes to clear lanes for motorists, and spending long hours away from their families; and

WHEREAS, these extremely hardworking men and women were on duty throughout the state, ready to render assistance with willingness and courage to their fellow Georgians in a time of great need. Although the importance of service provided by these employees is often forgotten or overlooked, they are always on the front lines and first to act; and

WHEREAS, the employees and Department were an invaluable part of Georgia's crisis response efforts, providing passage for emergency responders, National Guard and power company personnel through impacted areas; and

WHEREAS, the State Transportation Board is honored to extend our appreciation and gratitude to all Department employees for their continued spirit of perseverance; and

NOW, THEREFORE be it resolved that the State Transportation Board and the Georgia Department of Transportation, are grateful for the vital contributions employees made during this emergency circumstance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and a suitable copy be presented to the Office of Maintenance, Transportation Management Center and each of the seven GDOT District Offices, in addition to the Highway Emergency Response Operators, or HEROs in recognition of their outstanding effort.

ADOPTED, this the 20th day of February, 2014.

Approved:

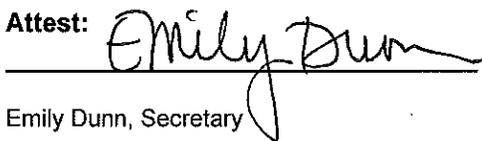


Keith Golden, Commissioner



Jay Shaw, Chairman
State Transportation Board

Attest:



Emily Dunn, Secretary
State Transportation Board