



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

- WHEREAS:** The State of Georgia holds title to certain real property by virtue of a January 7, 1946 quitclaim deed from United States of America, through and by Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, for approximately 5,805 acres recorded in Morgan County Clerk of Superior Court in Deed Book 36, Pages 557-593 and Walton County Clerk of Superior Court in Deed Book 30, Pages 69-76 (the "Property"); and
- WHEREAS:** Said Property is in the custody of the Department of Natural Resources (the "Department") and is operated as Hard Labor Creek State Park; and
- WHEREAS:** The Property is improved with facilities known as Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) Camp Building #4 and CCC Camp Storage Building #1, as shown in that aerial photograph attached hereto as Exhibit A, and incorporated herein by reference (the "Structures"); and
- WHEREAS:** Said Structures were identified by the Department to be in a state of collapse, declared to have no value, and staff of the Department recommended the removal of the Structures; and
- WHEREAS:** The Board of Natural Resources on August 26, 2014, resolved to recommend the removal of the Structures and requested that the State Properties Commission seek an Executive Order from the Governor to allow for the razing, demolition, and disposal of the Structures as in the best interest of the State of Georgia; and
- WHEREAS:** The Department of Natural Resources has funding available to raze and demolish and dispose of said Structures.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED:

The Department of Natural Resources is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the razing, demolition and disposal of said Structures under the terms and conditions which are deemed to be in the best interests of the State of Georgia.

This 30 day of January, 2015.

Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Chris M. Hilby

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Exhibit "A"

