

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, teachers throughout the Palmetto State are dedicated to providing high quality educational opportunities to ensure our young people's future success; and

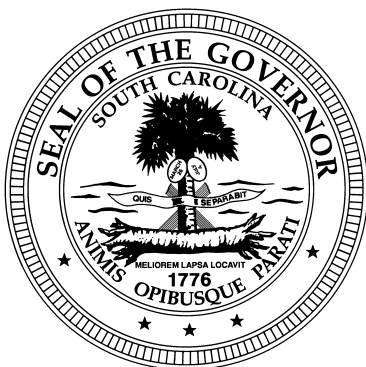
WHEREAS, having the proper resources in the classroom can make a difference in student attendance, attitude, and achievement; and

WHEREAS, connecting teachers with needed classroom materials through its Website, DonorsChoose has helped deliver resources valued at more than \$400,000 to 488 schools across the Palmetto State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 2007 as

TOOLS TO TEACH MONTH

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians help raise awareness of the effort to help students successfully learn and prepare for life by connecting needed resources with classrooms.



A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Mark Sanford".

MARK SANFORD
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA