## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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## STATEMENT IN OBSERVANCE OF NATIONAL CONCRETE PIPE WEEK

Whereas, reinforced concrete pipe and precast are of vital importance to sustainable communities and to the health, safety and well-being of the people of Delaware; and

Whereas, such reinforced concrete pipe and precast products and services could not be provided without the dedicated efforts of the concrete pipe and precast industry manufacturers, professionals, engineers, managers and employees, who are responsible for and must design, manufacture, distribute, educate and supply precast concrete pipe and precast to public and private owners, who build, design and maintain our transportation infrastructure, water supply, water treatment systems, solid waste systems, and other structures and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

Whereas, it is in the public interest for the citizens, civic leaders and children in the United States of America to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest and understand the importance of the reinforced concrete pipe and precast industry in their respective communities; and

Whereas, the year 2015 marks the 101<sup>st</sup> year of the American Concrete Pipe Association and the first year of National Concrete Pipe Week sponsored by the Central Atlantic Precast Concrete Association and the American Concrete Pipe Association.

> Now, Therefore, We, Jack A. Markell, Governor, do hereby declare August 17<sup>th</sup>- August 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015

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in the State of Delaware, and urge all Delawareans to join with representatives of the Central Atlantic Precast Concrete Association and the American Concrete Pipe Association in activities and ceremonies designed to pay tribute to our concrete pipe and precast industry manufacturers, professionals, engineers, managers and employees and to recognize the substantial contributions they have made to our national health, safety, welfare and quality of life.



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