



**RICK SCOTT**  
GOVERNOR

**AMATEUR RADIO WEEK**

**WHEREAS, Florida is home to a large number of licensed amateur radio operators; and**

**WHEREAS, Florida amateur radio operators aid the public when emergency communication is needed; and**

**WHEREAS, amateur radio hobbyists communicate with fellow enthusiasts throughout the world, establishing a medium that improves international relations; and**

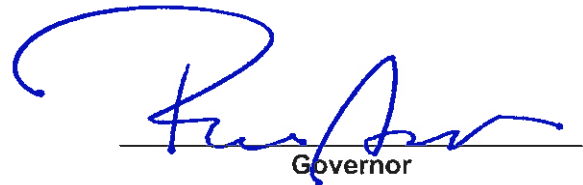
**WHEREAS, amateur radio operators are involved in programs that assist the rehabilitation of disabled individuals in the development of radio as a hobby; and**

**WHEREAS, during the American Radio Relay League's Field Day emergency preparedness exercise on June 28-29, 2014, amateur radio operators will practice their communications skills to ensure their ability to respond effectively during an emergency;**

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Scott, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing June 23-29, 2014, as *Amateur Radio Week*.**



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, in the year two thousand fourteen.**

  
Governor