STATE OF KANSAS



TO THE PEOPLE OF KANSAS, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, The year 2004 marks the 50th anniversary of the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act PL-566; and

WHEREAS, In Kansas, 770 dams have been constructed so far through the Federal Program; and

WHEREAS, These dams bring an estimated \$30.5 million of annual benefits to Kansas; and

WHEREAS, These dams are located in 38 Kansas counties and protect nearly 25 percent of the land area of Kansas;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, KATHLEEN SEBELIUS, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF KANSAS, do hereby proclaim and designate August 4, 2004, as

The 50th Anniversary of the Federal PL566 Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Program

in Kansas and urge all citizens to join in this important observance.

DONE: At the Capitol in Topeka

under the Great Seal of the State this 10th day of January, A.D. 2004

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Secretary of State

Assistant Secretary of State