

**OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
PRATTVILLE, ALABAMA**

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, through much of the history of our nation, the American people have depended on science and technology for prosperity and a brighter future; and

WHEREAS, chemical engineers work in the chemical, fuel, aerospace, environmental, food, and pulp and paper industries among many others; and

WHEREAS, responsibilities for a chemical engineer range from research and design to development, production, technical sales, and management. Chemical engineers translate the discoveries of chemist to make into real-world products; and

WHEREAS, chemical engineers thrive on the intellectual challenge they get from their work. Good chemical engineers are always trying to refine their systems, improve them, and make them safer and more efficient.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Byard, Jr., Mayor of the City of Prattville, do hereby **PROCLAIM** Wednesday, August 19, 2009, as

The University of Alabama Chemical Engineering Day

in Prattville, and urge the citizens to recognize the contribution of chemical engineers of our community all the best auspices in search for new knowledge that will be of benefit to all peoples of the world.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the seal of this City to be affixed.

Mayor: _____

Date: _____



Jim Byard Jr.
August 1, 2009