



Executive Order 2012-12

AUTHORIZING THE ADJUTANT GENERAL TO ORDER NATIONAL GUARD PERSONNEL INTO ACTIVE DUTY TO ASSIST THE NEVADA DIVISION OF FORESTRY

WHEREAS, from time to time wildfires substantially threaten life and property in the State of Nevada;

WHEREAS, Nevada National Guard personnel have the skills and training to provide aid in combating such wildfires;

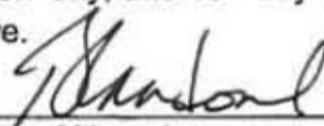
WHEREAS, Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") 412.122 provides that "the Governor may in case of...substantial threat to life or property, order into active service of the State for such a period, to such an extent and in such a manner as he or she deems necessary all or any part of the Nevada National Guard;" and

WHEREAS, NRS 412.138 provides that "when members of the Nevada National Guard are called into state active duty by the Governor to fight a fire, combat a flood or any other emergency where members of the Nevada National Guard are performing as a labor force rather than a military force, they shall receive pay and allowances equal to that received by the main labor force in the service of the State or Federal Government."

NOW, THEREFORE, by the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and laws of the State of Nevada, I hereby direct and order as follows:

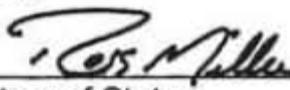
1. The Adjutant General is authorized to order into active duty for the State of Nevada such Nevada National Guard personnel, as he deems necessary to assist the Nevada Division of Forestry in combating fires that substantially threaten life or property. Personnel so employed will remain under military command at all times.
2. This order shall remain in effect until such time as the Adjutant General determines no other emergency exists and will terminate upon my order or at such time as the Adjutant General determines the requirement for assistance no longer exists. Funding to support this mission will be provided by the support agency.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 15th day of May, in the year two thousand twelve.



Governor of the State of Nevada

By the Governor:



Secretary of State



Deputy

