



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, Karen P. Aplin is retiring from the Department of Administration, Administrative Services Division, on June 2, 2012, after 15 years of loyal, diligent and exceptional public service to the State of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, Karen began her professional career with the State of Nevada, State Industrial Insurance System on April 22, 1997, where she was a Premium Processor and promoted to Investments and then promoted to Cash Manager. She transferred to the Division of Child and Family Services in December of 1999 where she was an Accounts Payable Supervisor and then promoted to the Contracts Section. She transferred to Buildings and Grounds in September of 2008 where she was a Management Analyst and later a Program Officer. Finally on October 1, 2011, Karen's position was merged into the Department of Administration, Administrative Services Division, where she served as a Program Officer in charge of the Contracts unit within the Department; and

WHEREAS, Karen was an integral part of the merger of the Administrative Services Division and consolidating the contracting and purchase order processing for 56 State budget accounts. Her involvement has been instrumental into a seamless transition of the purchasing and contracting functions from multiple agencies into a single customer service driven unit; and

WHEREAS, Karen's work ethic, unwavering integrity, spirit of cooperation, and leadership have been nothing less than outstanding and critical to the success of the merger; and

WHEREAS, Karen will sincerely be missed, both professionally and personally by all who have had the pleasure and good fortune to work with her; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the Silver State and men and women of the Department of Administration have benefited greatly from the dedication of Karen Aplin, we join in wishing her a hearty congratulations and thanks for a job well done;

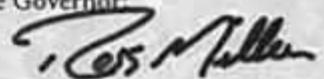
NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA do hereby proclaim June 2, 2012 as a day in honor of

KAREN APLIN



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 7th day of May, 2012.


By the Governor: _____ Governor


Secretary of State

By _____ Deputy