



A Proclamation by the Governor

WHEREAS, the members of the United States armed forces have made a commitment of selfless service and personal sacrifice in order to protect our nation from all threats; and

WHEREAS, in doing so, service members have put their nation's interests ahead of their own, a decision that is worthy of recognition and respect; and

WHEREAS, it is through the efforts of every service member that has made the Armed Forces of the United States the best military force in the world, and it is because of this resolve that every Nevadan and every American is able to enjoy the liberties and freedoms that we hold so dear; and

WHEREAS, each and every service member supports our nation's cause, whether it is on the battlefield or on a local base, and the service members who have answered the call of service deserve respect and honor; and

WHEREAS, the families of members of the Armed Forces have also endured the burden of service, facing many obstacles that are inherent to the Armed Forces including regular moves to new duty stations, worrying about their loved ones' safety, cancellation of plans in support of a mission, and more; and

WHEREAS, the nation is indebted to these servicemen and women for their hard work and dedication to their mission; and

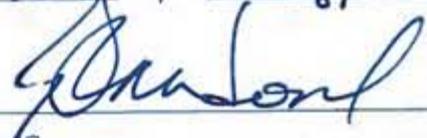
WHEREAS, May is Military Appreciation Month and 2014 is the Year of the Veteran;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim May 17, 2014, as a day in honor of

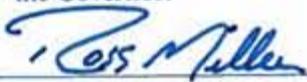
ARMED FORCES DAY



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 12th day of May, 2014.



By the Governor: Governor



Secretary of State

By _____
Deputy