



## *A Proclamation by the Governor*

**WHEREAS**, National Rosie the Riveter Day is a collective national effort to raise awareness of the 16 million working women during World War II; and

**WHEREAS**, Americans have chosen to honor female workers who contributed on the home front during World War II; and

**WHEREAS**, these women left their homes to work or volunteer full time in factories, farms, shipyards, airplane factories, banks and other institutions in support of the military overseas; and

**WHEREAS**, these women worked with the USO or Red Cross, drove trucks, riveted airplane parts, collected critical materials, rolled bandages, served on rationing boards; and

**WHEREAS**, it is right and proper to recognize and preserve the history and legacy of working women, including volunteer women, during World War II to promote cooperation and fellowship among such members and their descendants; and

**WHEREAS**, these women and their descendants wish to further the advancement of patriotic ideas, excellence in the work place, and loyalty to the United States of America;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRIAN SANDOVAL, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, do hereby proclaim May 24, 2014, as**

### **NATIONAL ROSIE THE RIVETER 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 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014.

By the Governor, Brian Sandoval Governor

Cass Miller Secretary of State

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy